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Three sets, three reps each



The clientele at Ellie's Express includes three families of three generations each: Front (from left): Doris Mills, Ann Patten, Mary Dooen. Back: Courtney Blake, Chris Blake, Mallory Blake, Amy Stevens, Amanda Brooks, LeeAnne Patten, Gail Wight, Sheri Head, Crystelle Head.

Fast-track action at ladies-only gym

By ALISON ALOISIO

"I hate to exercise," said Ellie Andrews. "So I decided I needed people around me to do it with me."

Such was the inspiration, in part, for Ellie's Ladies Workout Express, a new exercise center for women above the Casablanca Cinema in Bethel.

Andrews opened her place, which is associated with Lady of America, a nationwide chain, in mid-December.

She said he had wanted to have her own business for a while, and hit on the idea of a workout place.

The concept is simple: provide 20 different kinds of exercise machines, and have each client spend 40 seconds on each one. It translates to a half hour workout for every muscle in the body, at whatever pace the person chooses on an individual machine.

Andrews already has 177 clients, ranging in age from 8 to 78. Three 78-year-olds are regulars, with two of them coming every day.

The clients like the idea of using almost two dozen different machines, saving them from spending a tedious half hour on just one or two.

Chris Blake is part of a three-generation family that works out together. She had previously done aerobics for exercise.

"I like this better. There are a lot of different things, and it's all women," she said.

Her daughter Mallory, 17, admits she had to be "dragged" to participate at first. But now, she said, "I enjoy it. It's quick."

Grandmother Doris Mills likes competing with Mallory, and the fact that it brings the family together. "It's a chance to be with the girls," she said.

Two other families of three generations also exercise together.

Mary Dooen, 67, works out with her daughters Gail Wight and Sheri Head, and Sheri's daughter, Crystelle, 8. Dooen's four daughters gave her a membership at Ellie's as a Christmas present.

"I like the timing," said Head. "Half an hour — you're in, you're out."

What does Crystelle think?

"I like it. There's no boys," she said.

As the women exercise, music plays in the background. Every 40 seconds, a man's voice ("Floyd") says, "Change stations."

"He's the only man we listen to," said Head.

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Archeologically 'sensitive' areas in Bethel discussed

By MICHAEL DANIELS

"I've had people say: 'Oh, archeological sites are everywhere on the landscape,'" Arthur Spiess Ph.D. senior archeologist of the Maine Historical Preservation Commission told members of the Bethel Planning Board last week.

"Well, yeah. Maybe. At some level it might seem like that," Spiess said, "but they're actually very discrete and limited in size."

Spiess had been invited by the Board to provide guidance on when and when not to require archeological surveys on potential development sites.

At the request of Planning Board Chairman Al Cressy, Spiess brought along a map

the commission had recently drawn up of "sensitive" archeological areas in Bethel.

Without such a map, Cressy said, asking a developer to conduct a survey "was really a fishing expedition, and the ordinance clearly was designed to avoid fishing expeditions."

"But now," he said following the meeting, "we have something to say to the developer: 'Your development clearly encroaches on an archeologically sensitive area, as outlined by the Preservation Commission, and you will be required to discuss with the Commission whether or not it recommends a survey.' The Board can then act on the Commission's recommendation."

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Winter sports wrap up — Rebel hoopsters bow out; TMS skiers take title

By ALISON ALOISIO

The Telstar High boys' and girls' basketball teams wrapped up their Western Class C playoffs in Augusta this week, while the boys' and girls' Telstar Middle School alpine ski teams both won the state Class A championships.

The TMS girls also took the overall title (alpine and cross-country combined).

And in the high school state Class C ski championships, the Rebels' Stephen Scotti brought home the individual slalom champion title.

Basketball

The Rebel girls' basketball team came up just short to Dirigo in Tuesday's quarterfinal playoff, losing 39-38. The Cougars had also nipped Telstar by a point in the last regular season game.

The Rebels led in both the third and fourth quarters, but Dirigo came back in the end. Telstar's Bailey Davis was high scorer with 17 points.

The boys' team also bowed out in quarterfinal play, losing to Dirigo.

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After some hesitation, G'wood selectmen reappoint fire chief

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Greenwood selectmen have reappointed current Fire Chief Raymond Seames.

The vote came Tuesday evening, following an hour-and-a-half long executive session.

Seames, who has served as fire chief since 1998 (he also held the position from 1992 to 1995) announced late last year that he was stepping down.

At the time, he cited the growing workload and time demands of the chief's position.

But at a Jan. 4 Fire Department meeting, Seames was nominated by department

members for a new term, and he indicated a willingness to stay on the job.

Selectmen, however, declined to reappoint Seames.

They noted that at the Jan. 4 meeting, one firefighter had said the department had to nominate Seames because there were no other choices.

The selectmen also cited other concerns that had been brought to their attention in private conversations with some Fire Department members and other townspeople. (The selectmen have not provided specifics regarding those concerns.)

But Greenwood's firefighters stood by their nomination.

At their next meeting, which was attended by Town Manager Kim Sparks, they nominated Seames again, and all 12 members of the department signed a letter supporting his reappointment.

According to the letter, their decision to support the reappointment was "determined by department members after lengthy discussion of the past, present and future status and goals of the department."

Sparks said later "it was clear they really wanted Raymond."

On Tuesday the selectmen accepted.

Following their closed-session discussion with Seames,

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Area SADs exploring more ways to pool buying power

By ALISON ALOISIO

Faced with growing costs and increasing state requirements, SAD44 and neighboring school districts are banding together to try to save money.

The effort has been underway to some extent for several years, and last year SADs 21 (Dixfield), 43 (Rumford) and 44 were able to purchase fuel in bulk at a price of about 1.50 a gallon.

"We did it just at the right time," said SAD44 Superintendent Dave Murphy.

This year, the districts are sharing a consultant whose job it will be to find the best prices for property and liability insurance.

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HIGH FLYER

Telstar's Steve McDonnell puts up a layup in Monday's Western Class C quarterfinal playoff matchup against North Yarmouth Academy at the Augusta Civic Center. The NYA team prevailed, 64-50.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)

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Letters

NO TARPAPER SHACKS HERE

To the Editor:

I have lived in Albany Township every one of my fifty years, so have many generations of my family. In fact, Deacon Asa Cummings, my great-great-great-grandfather, was one of Albany's founding fathers in 1803. There has been a member of my family living in Albany every year since then.

In the fifty years I've been alive I have never lived in a tarpaper shack and the numerous pictures of my ancestors' homes prove to me they never did either. That's about 200 years of no tarpaper shacks.

I was wondering when exactly it was that people living in the unorganized territories did live like that? Maybe the knowledgeable Mr. Wight could enlighten me on that.

Living in an unorganized territory you know you have lower taxes for several reasons. You pay higher homeowners insurance because there is no Fire Department in town, when you call the police you can expect one to arrive within 45 minutes from the State Police barracks in Gray, should you need an ambulance that will take a little extra time, also, because it's out of town, you will have no say in the education of your children and you will pay extra for gas to travel for everyday household items, just to name a few.

The benefits are numerous, too, but in my opinion the biggest one is not having to put up with small-town, petty, political haggling that just sells newspapers!

Just sign me not living in a tarpaper shack.

Terry Howard
Albany Township

HERE ARE THE FACTS

To the Editor:

Thank you for admitting that you added "For the" to my signature block of the Feb. 2 Letter to the Editor.

In your reply to my letter to the editor in the Feb. 16 Citizen, you state in the final sentence: "We resist the temptation to speculate on possible reasons for the curiously belated onset of John Head's 'dismay' (your words)." I hope and trust that I can clarify this for you.

I delivered my letter to the editor which appeared in your Feb. 2 edition to you on Monday, Jan. 30, at 11 a.m. The following day, Jan. 31, I departed Bethel at 3 a.m. for the airport and an eight-day business trip to Georgia and Florida. I returned from that trip on Feb. 8.

On Feb. 9 I read both the Feb. 2 letter to which you had added "For the" to my signature block, and Mike Broderick's Feb. 9 letter. The next day I called you at 10 a.m. (Feb. 10) and was informed that you were not in and that you probably would not be in again until Monday, Feb. 13.

On Feb. 13, you called me based on my Feb. 10 voice mail request, for which I thank you. At that time you stated that you would not discuss this matter with me, and asked me to write another letter to the editor, and that you would respond. That I did, and respond you did.

And here are the facts, not assumptions and speculations.

John B. Head
Bethel

TODD CHRETIEN RECEPTION

To the Editor:

Everyone is cordially invited to a reception for California U.S. Senate candidate Todd Chretien.

Todd, who is my nephew, will be culminating his East Coast speaking tour in Maine with friends, family and Green Party supporters. Although Todd now lives in California, he attributes much of his life's philosophy and values to his Maine roots.

Please come join us in a Downeast send-off as Todd journeys back to the West Coast. There will be great hors d'oeuvres, good conversation, a fun silent auction fundraiser and remarks by Todd about his vision of a New World on March 4, from 12 to 2 p.m. at 99 Lake Street, Auburn. Please invite any interested folks. Visit Todd's website at www.todd4senate.org.

Susan Farrar
Bethel

CORRECTION

KING'S SEAL, NOT THE SAINT'S. The quote used for the title of Stephen Seames letter to the editor last week was inaccurate. It should have read 'As good as the Seal of the King.' The Citizen regrets the error.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Citizen welcomes letters to the editor. We hope our readers will regard the newspaper as a public forum for discussing any topic they believe to be of interest to the community. Insofar as possible, we attempt to publish letters without alteration, but we do reserve the right to edit for length, libel, taste and readability.

When writing, please include your full name, signature, address and telephone number (so that we may verify authorship). The deadline for letters to the editor is 4:30 p.m. Monday.

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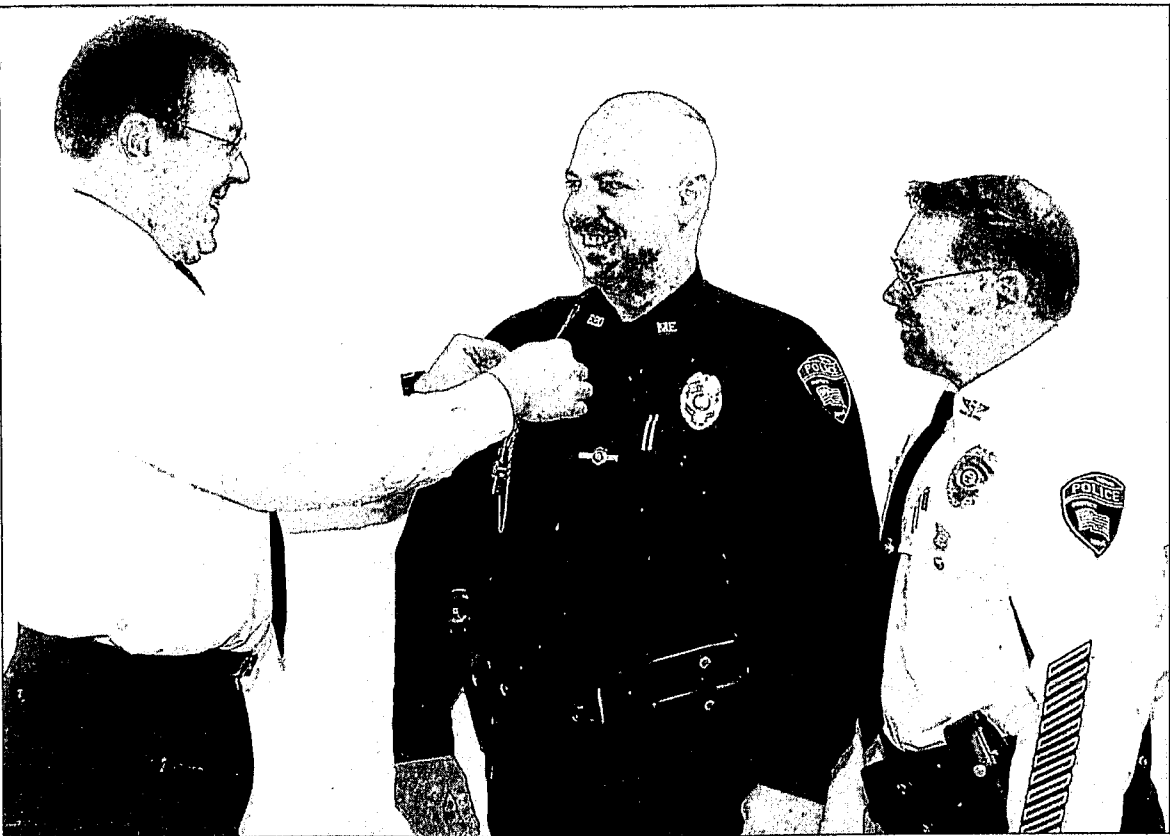
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BRAVERY AWARD—Officer Ovide "Buddy" Richard of the Bethel Police Department received the Law Enforcement Bravery Award Feb. 10 from the Maine Association of Chiefs of Police. On Dec. 6, Richard pulled a New Hampshire woman away from her burning car on the North Road after it left the road, struck a rock and caught fire. When Richard arrived on the scene Jennifer Soares, the injured woman, was lying on the ground next to the car, with flames going over her. He tried first to put out the fire with an extinguisher. "I didn't want to move her if I didn't have to, because of her injuries," he said. But the fire extinguisher didn't work, so he pulled her to safety. Chief Alan Carr (right) recommended Richard for recognition. Richard said he was surprised to learn he would receive the award. Carr said his officer was very deserving of it, "for a job well done." On Monday, Town Manager Scott Cole pinned the award medal on Richard. Richard's wife, Michele, and children Kevin, 10 and Courtney, 7 were also present. Richard, who has been with the BPD for two years, was one of nine who received bravery awards from the chiefs' association. A total of 23 people, including some civilians, were recognized at the organization's meeting in South Portland. (Photo: A. Aloisio)

Local caucuses

OXFORD COUNTY DEMOCRATS

To the Editor:

Democrats from Albany, Bethel, Gilead, Greenwood, Hanover, Milton, Newry, Upton and Woodstock will hold their 2006 Caucus meetings on Sunday, Feb. 26 at 3:30 p.m. at Telstar Regional High School in Bethel. Those who would like to register to vote and enroll as Democrats may do so from 3 p.m.

Caucus convenors for the towns holding caucus meetings at Telstar are Allison Rosenblatt, Albany; Mike Broderick, Bethel; Cathy Newell for Gilead, Upton, and Greenwood; Shirley Powell, Hanover; Wendy Hanscom and Bill Andrews, Newry; Nancy Willard and Mary Ellen Gartner for Woodstock, and Scott Billings for Milton.

Other towns in the Bethel Citizen area will hold their caucus in their own towns. These include Stoneham, with Ruth Crowell as convenor, meeting at the Stoneham Town Office at 4 p.m.; West Paris with David Walton as convenor, meeting at the West Paris Town Office at 3 p.m.; Andover with Pam Pace as convenor, meeting at the Andover Town Hall at 1 p.m.; and Lovell with Toni Seger as convenor, meeting at the Lovell Town Office at 3 p.m.

A complete list of all Oxford County towns and their caucus times is available on the Maine Democratic Party website, www.mainedems.org.

Those attending the caucus meetings are asked to bring \$1 or more for Governor Baldacci's Keep ME Warm fund, which provides heating assistance for those in need. Individuals who would like to contribute Clean Elections Qualifying \$5 donations to legislative candidates should bring their checkbooks to the caucus.

Cathy Newell
Chair, Oxford County Democrats

ANDOVER REPUBLICANS

To the Editor:

A Republican caucus will take place March 5 at 1 p.m. at the First Congregational Church Christian Education Building in Andover.

The purpose of the caucus is to allow registered voters who are enrolled in the Republican Party to elect delegates and alternates to the Republican State Convention, to be held May 5 and 6 in Augusta.

All Republicans are welcome. For more information call 392-1921.

Paula Smith
Andover

STONEHAM DEMOCRATS

To the Editor:

On Sunday, Feb. 26, at 4 p.m. the Stoneham Democratic Town Committee will hold a caucus at the Stoneham Town Office. Caucuses are the front lines of grassroots politics. They are open to all registered Democrats in the town.

Any residents of Stoneham who are not yet registered to vote, or who have not declared a party affiliation, may register as Democrats between 3:30 and 4 p.m. on the 26th. Midge Silvio, the town clerk, will be on hand to oversee the registration process. Anyone with questions about the caucus can call the Town Office.

The main function of the caucus is to select a delegate to attend the Democratic state convention the first weekend in June. At the last Stoneham caucus, Peter Rodrigues, a college student studying to be a history teacher, was selected to attend the state convention. This proved to be a valuable firsthand experience of American politics in action that he is now able to share with his students.

Other functions of the caucus include the election of officers for the Stoneham Democratic Town Committee and conducting the business of the town committee. Democratic candidates for office have delivered primary nomination petitions to be circulated at the caucus. Policy issues affecting Maine people will be discussed.

Under the leadership of Howard Dean, National Democratic Party Chairman, there is an increased effort to involve Democrats across the country at the grassroots level. For the first time, Maine has the services of a full-time staff person from the National Committee to help mobilize the Democratic Party in our state. New initiatives and opportunities for grassroots involvement will be shared at the caucus.

"Caucuses are a time to make your voice heard. Together, we will work from the grassroots to build a strong party framework. Americans understand that the Republicans are out of step with their values. We recognize that American values are Democratic values. We are encouraging all Democrats to attend their local Caucus," said Pat Colwell, chairman of the Maine Democratic Party.

Ballooning federal deficits, taxation policies that shift an unequal burden onto hardworking middle-class taxpayers, incompetent handling of national and international crises, disregard for the constitution and the loss of our international moral authority... It's hard to feel that we, as citizens of rural Maine towns, can do anything about these big issues. We can if we try. The strength of our American democracy starts at the local level. If we each do our part here in Maine, we can affect change in Washington. That's really what a caucus is all about.

Ruth Crowell
Chair, Stoneham Democratic Town Committee

SADs

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ity insurances.

"It should give us a more competitive package," Murphy said.

In addition, SAD44 may contract with SAD43 to share that district's food services director.

SAD44 has been without one for two years.

"We may contract with her to oversee our managers on menu development, purchasing and ordering commodities from the federal government," Murphy said.

"We're also looking at join-

ing a regional cooperative that she made us aware of."

Lunch prices going up

Last week, SAD44 directors approved a 25-cent increase in the price of a hot lunch for next year.

That would put the price at \$2 for secondary students and \$1.75 for elementary. The adult price would be \$3, up 50 cents.

The state must approve the price hikes, Murphy said. Not all students pay full price — 42 percent of the stu-

dents served receive the lunch free or pay the reduced price of 40 cents.

The cost for those students is supplemented by the federal government through the reduced-and-free lunch program.

The SAD44 program operates at a loss each year, and SAD44 budgets \$34,000 from the general fund to help offset the cost of the program.

The lunch price increases are expected to generate about \$15,000 more in revenue, Murphy said.

Our Back Pages

Compiled by Danna Brown Nickerson
10 years ago: The Names Project AIDS Memorial Quilt was on display at Telstar Regional High School.

First-graders at the Agnes Gray School in West Paris created a mural with local artist Duncan Slade.

The proposed Greenwood municipal budget for 1996 was set by the selectmen, at \$388,045.

Birth: Justin Scott Hadley.

Deaths: Donald D. Frechette, Sr., Robert L. McKeen, Jr., Rosalia V. Bachelder, Sylvia P. Ordway.

20 years ago: The former Bethel Inn garages on Mason Street had been sold to a Portland architect who planned to convert them to condominiums.

Robin Zinchuk was appointed the new executive director of the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce.

The Telstar girls' ski team won the cross-country and cross-country relay titles at the Class A state meet.

Birth: David Anderson, Jr.

Deaths: Henrietta Ida Richards, Addie Mary Sutherland, Rhiannon Laurel Shimamura.

30 years ago: Karen Lee Brown announced her Republican candidacy for the Maine House of Representatives, District 63.

The Oxford County Economic Opportunity Council held its first energy fair at Gould Academy's Bingham Hall.

Candy Bennett was crowned queen and Alan Seames crowned king at Telstar's carnival ball.

Deaths: George B. Morrill, III, Harry M. Swift, Fred Aubin.

40 years ago: The Richardson place on the north side of the Androscoggin in Gilead, occupied by the Stephen Munro family, was leveled by fire.

Maine Governor John H. Reed announced that he would seek re-election.

William Lunt assumed the duties of principal of Bethel schools.

Births: David Lee Mills, Lois Faith Lane.

Deaths: Wilma Croteau Daley, Duncan MacPherson.

50 years ago: Mrs. F. Emma Robertson observed her 88rd birthday Feb. 22, at the home of her grandson, Henry Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lowell were guests of honor at a housewarming at their home.

A social sponsored by the eighth grade for the students at Crescent Park School featured entertainment, dancing, and refreshments.

Birth: Edna Clara Tripp.

Deaths: Harvey N. Bragdon, Mrs. Harriett Hall.

60 years ago: Gerard S. Williams announced he would open a law office in Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and family moved to their home recently purchased, the former Ahira Smith place.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koskie and Mrs. Sadie Robertson moved to their present home on Railroad Street.

70 years ago: Fifty business men of Bethel met to consider means of attracting an industry to the vacated Stowell-MacGregor property in Bethel. A committee was appointed of which Leslie Davis, Hugh Thurston and Marshall Hastings were members.

The total valuation of the Town of Bethel was listed \$1,359,929.

Deaths: Mrs. Helen Howard, Mrs. Lydia Swicker, John Y. Holt, Mrs. Aubrey Cummings, Mrs. Susie Turner Russell.

80 years ago: Bethel Inn guests enjoyed a "sugaring-off" and tea at the shack.

L.E. Davis was driving a snocar, sedan type.

F.J. Tyler was superintendent of the Edwards box factory in Yarmouth.

Death: Mrs. Emma E. Kilgore.

100 years ago: Eli Stearns shipped 2,000 barrels of apples this winter.

The Grand Trunk station at Gorham, N.H. burned, with a \$2,000 loss.

Lincoln Day exercises were held at Pattee's Hall on Spring Street.

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Briefly

Church's fee-waiver request nixed

BETHEL — A request from the Bethel Church of the Nazarene to waive the site-plan application fee for the church's proposed new 6,000-square-foot building was unanimously rejected by the Bethel Board of Selectmen Monday evening. The project, which includes a 45 to 48 space parking lot, is expected to cost between \$350,000 and \$400,000, according to spokeswomen Robin Mills. The fee for the project is \$325. Mills asked that it be waived in light of the fact that the church is a nonprofit organization working with a limited budget. But the selectmen noted that other nonprofits must also work within financial constraints, and the \$325 fee was a very small part of the overall project cost.

Snow Volleyball Saturday

BETHEL — A Snow Volleyball Challenge will take place Saturday at 1 p.m. at the BIG Adventure Center. There will be a donation box to benefit the Bethel Food Pantry. Teams and individuals are welcome. Contact Lori McPherson at 357-3862 or 364-3145 to sign up.

Shaw day upcoming at Mt. Abram

GREENWOOD — The third annual Becky Shaw Ski Day will take place at Mt. Abram on March 9. The proceeds of the \$30 lift tickets for a day of skiing go toward the Rebecca J. Shaw Paraoptometric Education Fund. Shaw, the wife of Bethel optometrist Lennie Shaw, died in a motor vehicle accident in 2003.

Vote on dissolving Water Board

BUCKFIELD — Voters are expected to decide later this year if they wish to dissolve the Buckfield Village Corp. and fold its functions into town government. A bill authorizing such a move — subject to voter approval — was voted out of the Maine Legislature's Utilities and Energy Committee last week with a unanimous "ought to pass recommendation." The Village Corp., established in 1887, currently serves as the town's water utility. The move to dissolve the utility was proposed by its three current trustees. Town Manager Glen Holmes also supports the idea. "I believe it's a good thing to do," Holmes said Tuesday. The corporation "is basically a town within a town," Holmes said. "There's a lot of duplication of effort. But now everything has to become more efficient as we tighten our belts around here, and I think that this is one step in the right direction."

Deer feed a town budget line

LINCOLN PLANTATION — This tiny settlement on the New Hampshire border — population 46 — voted to raise \$8,000 to feed the deer last winter, according to Muriel Potter, the town clerk, registrar, treasurer and tax collector. That's about \$174 per person, but there's near-unanimous support for the deer at Town Meeting each year, she said. "They may squabble over a couple of thousand dollars for a new culvert, but when it comes to feeding the deer, they just give the price they think it should be and all the hands go up — Yea," she said. "We just have it in our heads that we want to feed the deer." The tradition began decades ago when loggers at camps noticed deer were eating grain for the horses. The owner of a small diner and gas station in the village center, known as Wilsons Mills, began collecting donations in a glass jar on the counter and feeding the deer outside. "It was quite a novelty for people all around to come in and watch them," Potter said. Donna Glover, who took part in the official feeding program for more than three decades before retiring two years ago, is skeptical of scientists who say feeding does more harm than good — at least in Wilsons Mills, which lies on the Magalloway River in a historic deer wintering area. "We see the same deer year after year, so if we're killing them, well, they're not dead," Glover said. "They're going to be here anyway, because this is their yard and it has been forever and a day."

Gluten-free cooking workshop

GREENWOOD — A hands-on seminar on gluten-free cooking will take place on Saturday, March 4, 2006, 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Dancing Trees Lodge in Oxford. The session is for people who want to learn how to cook with alternative grains and flours — to wheat, rye and barley — and how to make meal preparation tastier and more interesting for those who cannot eat foods containing gluten. The process of learning what amounts to a new way of life can be daunting. This seminar helps people to adapt recipes and incorporate gluten free ingredients into meal preparation. To register for the gluten free cooking seminar or for more information contact Suzanne Dunham at 665-2967 or email dunhamfarm@msn.com. Registration and materials fee (ingredients and handouts) is \$17. Pre-registration is required by March 1. The gluten free seminars are offered through the SAD44 Adult Continuing Education, Creative Economy Education Initiative (CEEI). For more information about this and other programs offered through CEEI call 824-2780.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Tuesday, Feb. 21

At 9:50 a.m. Chief Alan Carr took a report from a complainant who said that a \$20 bill that had been signed by a musical band was missing.

At 11 a.m. Chief Alan Carr responded to Mayville Road for a report of a vehicle fire. On arrival the fire was out. The vehicle was towed.

At 11:55 a.m. Chief Alan Carr responded to the West Bethel Road for a school bus/pole collision. The bus had backed into the telephone pole.

Sunday, Feb. 19

At 1:25 a.m. on Route 26 Officer T.J. Reese summonsed Maya T. Best, 48, of Greenwood for OUI.

At 3:30 a.m. Officer T.J. Reese responded to a residence for a subject who needed handcuffs removed from her wrist. The officer tried his key but it did not work. The subject said she would try to find her key and the officer cleared.

At 7:20 p.m. Officer Mac McCormick responded for a second call to a residence for a request to remove handcuffs from the complainant's wrist. The Fire Department was called to the residence and removed the handcuffs.

Saturday, Feb. 18

At 1:45 a.m. on the West Bethel Road Officer T.J. Reese summonsed Kenneth T. Pease, 36, of Newry for OUI.

At 7:35 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor responded to a Route 2 location for a report of harassment between two pickup trucks. Both vehicles were gone on arrival.

At 11:40 p.m. Officer T.J. Reese responded to a village business for an unwanted subject. The subject was gone on arrival and did not return.

Friday, Feb. 17

At 2:35 p.m. Chief Alan Carr responded to Main Street for a property-damage vehicle accident.

Thursday, Feb. 16

At 6:03 a.m. on Mayville Road Officer Travis Fillmore issued a summons to Melissa M. Wells, 31, of Rumford for operating an unregistered motor vehicle.

Tuesday, Feb. 14

At 10 a.m. Officer Phil Taylor met with a subject whose stolen vehicle had been found in a village parking lot.

At 4:58 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor responded to an East Bethel location for an infant who had been dropped. Bethel Rescue arrived shortly after the officer and took over.

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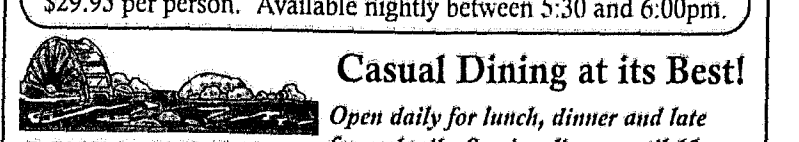
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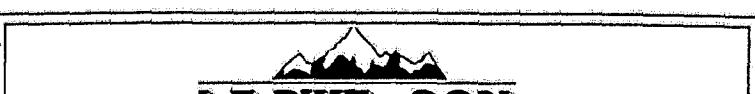
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Gym

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Says Ellie, "He's the only man allowed. Him and the UPS man."

But she admits she did allow two men to come in and use the equipment — Dr. Kevin Finley and Dr. Ray Higby.

They familiarized themselves with the equipment so they can talk to their patients about which machines to use, or avoid, Andrews said.

There are anywhere from two or three to a dozen women using the equipment at any given time. The beginning and end of the day are the busiest.

Andrews said it took her a while to find a franchise that would work with her. She credits Pat Carter of Bethel with connecting her with LOA. Carter found the Florida-based company's website and filled in the "contact us" form.

"They called her immediately, she gave them my name, they called me right away and the rest is history," said Andrews.

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Chief

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Wayne Hakala and Loretta Mikos voted to reappoint him. (Board Chairman Fred Henderson did not attend the meeting.)

Ordinance needed
Seames' appointment is for an unspecified period of time, because the selectmen also discovered recently that the town had never formally adopted an ordinance establishing a Fire Department and spelling out its roles and responsibilities.

They have scheduled a workshop meeting with Seames on Thursday, March 2, to begin work on such an ordinance.

The selectmen hope to be able to present the ordinance to voters at the annual Town Meeting later that month, Sparks said.

Sports

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Monday to North Yarmouth Academy, 64-50.

The game was close into the fourth quarter, when NYA, holding a height advantage, pulled away.

Senior Sean Caddigan concluded his career with 22 points to lead the Rebels in scoring.

Skiing
It was a sweep for the boys' and girls' Telstar Middle School alpine ski teams at the State Class A Championships at Sunday River and Black Mountain.

Other middle school teams competing included Oxford Hills, Mountain Valley, Auburn, Farmington, Tripp, Spruce, Winthrop, Somerset

and Warsaw.

The Telstar boys finished with seven top 10 spots, with the girls taking nine top 10 places in the giant slalom and slalom events.

The Rebels' Samantha Lar-gess was the individual winner in the girls' giant slalom.

In cross-country freestyle, Telstar's Peter Cowan won the individual title.

The Class C State Ski Championships conclude today at Black Mountain with a classical cross-country race.

On the alpine side, Telstar's Stephen Scotti won the slalom competition.

For details of the playoff/championship competitions, see Page 9.

Sites

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sion's recommendation, knowing that there is good reason for conducting the survey."

'Sensitive' to 'Significant'
"To help protect archeological sites, we request archeological surveys only when there is a reasonable chance of encountering a site on a development project," Spiess told the Board.

"For prehistoric sites this is based on soil types, water and landforms. Land that is likely to have an archeological site on it we call 'sensitive'."

In Bethel, nearly all of the designated sensitive areas follow along rivers or other canoe-navigable bodies of water — which is where Indians, and the first Europeans in the region, spent most of their time. (For an overview of Maine's prehistoric and historic archeology, see the MHPC's excellent webpage: www.state.me.us/mhpc/archaeol.htm.)

In non-sensitive areas, the chance of finding an archeological site on any randomly selected 20-acre parcel is "miniscule," Spiess told the board, "but once you get into these sensitive areas, it seems like one in seven or one in eight."

Finding an archeological site on a subdivision parcel does not necessarily present a serious problem for a developer.

In fact, only about half of the sites found are considered "significant," and in need of protection.

"We do not need to protect all archeological sites," Spiess told the planners. "We use the concept of 'significance' as a guideline, which is often equal to eligibility for listing in the National Register of Historical Places, or whether a site can contribute something to science, or to native or European history."

"We get about 10 new sites a year from subdivision surveys across the state, and about half are significant and half are not," he said.

"A scatter of nails, tin cans,

crockery and stovepipes from your great uncle's hunting camp, which might have been abandoned in the 1950s, is an archeological site," Spiess said, "but probably not a significant archeological site."

When a significant site is found, Spiess said, it can of-

four wigwams, and each one had its own tools, and it was about 10,000 years old," Spiess said.

Rather than relocate the dock, the company paid more than \$100,000 for a complete archeological excavation of the site.

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ARTHUR SPIESS
Senior Archeologist
Maine Historic Preservation Commission

ten be dealt with by fitting the project in around it, and leaving the site itself undisturbed. (Most sites range in size from a few dozen square yards to an acre or two in size.)

For example, a survey prior to the 2001 reconstruction of the Bear River Rips boat launch found artifacts scattered over a 300-square-yard area, but archeologists worked with the boat launch designers to pick areas for parking and access that avoided the site.

"We wiggled our way around the archeology to fit in the boat ramp," Spiess said.

But in some cases the fixes can be costly, he acknowledged.

When construction was being planned for the Wal-Mart in Oxford, a Phase I archeological survey found a scattering of tools and worked stone in the area where the loading dock was to go.

The discovery prompted a Phase II survey, which found four tent sites.

"There was a little village of

Artifacts uncovered in that dig are currently on display in the Maine State Museum.

Threats
Ground disturbance from residential, road and industrial construction is only one of the threats to archeological sites, Spiess said.

Raised water levels behind dams is probably the greatest threat, he said, and looting — "unauthorized digging in an archeological site for fun and profit" — is also a problem.

And these days, he said, that profit is often earned by peddling the artifacts on eBay.

To help protect against looting, MHPC limits the information that is available to the public regarding the location of individual archeological sites. (Such information is specifically exempted from state and federal right-to-know laws, Spiess said.)

Commission archeologists also monitor known sites with periodic field visits.

According to Spiess, archeological sites are often of more

than just archeological interest.

"These sites are also storehouses of environmental information," he said. "They preserve a record of the local vegetation cover, in fire-hearth charcoal, so we can see how the forest has changed over time; and a record of fish and game harvest in preserved animal bones in fire-hearth sites."

"By preserving archeological sites, you're not just preserving somebody's history, you're also doing environmental science as well," he said.

Homeowners exempted

Private landowners who want to undertake construction projects do not need to be concerned with archeology, even if their land is in a "sensitive area."

The maps, he said, "are not precise enough, and we specifically do not want them to be used for working with individual homeowners, such as in building permits."

"If we already know that an archeological site is on someone's land, we prefer to work directly with the landowner, if they want to voluntarily preserve a site."

"There is no law in Maine that says individual landowners must protect or avoid a site on their property. Of course, if an individual landowner wants us to check out a site on their property, we are happy to do that, within our available time."

Spiess said he is confident there is some interesting archeology yet to be unearthed in the Bethel area.

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"There's none that have produced major volumes of archeological information, and none that have produced public excitement or newspaper reports."

"But important archeological sites are here," he said. "We just haven't found them yet."

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Bethel



by Virginia Keniston

Please note: The Sophomore Class at Gould Academy is serving a free lunch for all Bethel senior citizens on Thursday, Feb. 23, from 12 to 1 p.m. in the dining hall. Musical entertainment will follow. Call Nancy Mercer at 824-3350 for more information.

Sandra Gunther traveled to Nashville, Tenn., to celebrate the Christmas holiday with her son, Eric and granddaughter, Ashley Gunther. The Christmas lights were spectacular, especially around the Opreyland Hotel. Less than a week later, Eric came to spend a few days in the Bethel area and to attend the wedding of his niece, Chelsie Gunther to Willard Sawyer of Jay. The evening wedding on Jan. 6 was at the Baptist Church in Fayette. Chelsie's sister, Ashley, also came home from Tennessee to attend the wedding.

Martha and Glenn Bangs of Dresden spent the weekend with Bob and Ginny Keniston.

Tom Giroux spent the weekend in West Virginia to help celebrate his daughter-in-law's birthday.

Katy, Eric and Noah Goldberg are spending this week's vacation with Ken and Gwyneth Bohr.

Ginger and Gene Kelly have returned from a trip to Costa Rica with a group of 18 Elder Hostel participants.

Dick Paine and Elaine Jacques of Auburn spent the weekend with Mary and Bud Paine.

Edith Rowe, formerly of Bethel, fell and fractured her ankle and is at Norway Rehab in Room 12. She would love to get cards from Bethel friends.

Mary and Kent Rosberg of Elliot spent Monday and Tuesday visiting friends in the Bethel area.

Oxford Hills Bridge Club met last Friday at the Fare Share Common, Norway, where a two and 12 table Howell movement was enjoyed. We were pleased to have a table from Nancy Farmer's bridge class attend. Finishing first in flight A were Barbara Beegel and Les Buzzell; close behind in second were Nancy Farmer and Luke Merry. Finishing first in flight B were Bev Dolan and Bev Pelletier in a tie with Mimi Bell and Carol Curran.

Upton



by Eleanor LeComte

Washington's birthday school vacation has always been a mid-winter

highlight. Most years we have a "good" snowstorm, with ideal snow for snowballs, snowmen, forts and sledding that Mother Nature provides for the kids.

Last week, we experienced very high winds and bone-chilling cold. Power outages and fallen trees came with it. Wind chill temperatures were very low. At one point we heard a loud "thump" on the roof. A huge spruce tree had split apart, landing across the driveway and smack dab on the porch roof. No damage was noted but it was quite a mess. Sam Grondin, under the direction of Grandpa Roger, arrived on the scene cutting and clearing limbs away. That was the bad news. The good news was that the tree fell two feet away from my car. Take away my wheels and I am nothing.

We are all very happy to congratulate Jean Bruce and Roger Lavallee who were married

at Roger's mother's home last week. Not much goes on in mid-winter in Upton, so a wedding is a happy event. People usually stay close to home, playing cards or watching the Olympics on TV.

After the last cold snap the ice on the lake is very thick. A birthday party was held for one of the ladies in town on Thursday night. I will not mention Evelyn's name since she neither looks nor tells her age.

Several people from Upton attended a variety show at the Rumford Town Hall. The participants did a fine job presenting their talents to the public. There were many entries ranging from singing, dancing, magic acts, instrumentals and a very good Franco-American couple with fiddle and guitar. The Middle School Jazz ensemble performed on a professional level under the direction of Daniel LaBonte. Ross Swain rounded out the program with two great ragtime tunes on the piano.

A harbinger of spring showed up over the weekend at the suet feeder. An ugly starling complete with long, yellow bill devoured a half pound of suet in a short time. The poor bird looked very cold and hungry. These birds are not native to North America. In March 1890 a group of Shakespeare enthusiasts planned to introduce all of the birds in Shakespeare's works. The first eggs were hatched under the eaves of the Museum of Natural History. A Pandora's Box was opened.

They thrived and thrived and thrived. They are now all over the North American Continent. At sunset each day, a black armada descends on ledges and trees in New York City. We witnessed this is the 1950s and it was awesome. This starling at the feeder was true to form in its winter dress.

Bills turn yellow in winter and not-so-pretty feathers are

on the wings and body. The yellow bill and speckles fade by summer. When starlings roost in bare trees it gives the appearance of winter foliage. Irrate city dwellers have tried many methods to rid themselves of these birds. Whistles, fireworks, blank shells, fire hoses and supersonic sound do not discourage them. They are one of the few species not protected by law. This elusive target can reach speeds of 50 miles an hour. They don't seem to remain here very long, thank goodness.

The "Bird of the Week" is the starling.

West Bethel



by Lorrie Hoeh

Armed with cleats on my shoes, I venture most mornings down the forest road with Jake and navigate the icy surface. Now that the dusting of snow from the so-called blizzard is gone, we can't even see animal tracks. The weather continues to see-saw between early spring and deep freeze, but still no snow for x-c skiing or sledding.

The balmy weather of last Thursday afternoon did not deter a cross-country classic ski race with middle schools from around the area participating. It looked as if the Telstar teams were doing all right for themselves. Conditions were mostly wet granular, but Roger Smith of the Bethel Inn Nordic Center had spent hours transferring snow from the woods onto the trails, with plenty of help from Michael Cooper, and the tracks held up amazingly well.

Karen Jordan e-mailed me this week with the news that her daughter, Sarah Jordan Paul, formerly of West Beth-

el, and Sergeant Jason Edward Latham, son of the late Tammy Latham and James Latham of Mesquite, Texas, were wed on May 28, 2004, in Petersburg, Va. Sarah and Jason were happy to be able to renew their vows in the presence of friends and family on July 2, 2005, atop Lovejoy Mountain in Albany, Maine.

The bride and groom would like to thank everyone who attended, for their support and for helping to make it a truly beautiful day. The bride is the daughter of Karen Jordan Paul and Eric D. Paul, both of Bethel, and granddaughter of Rodney and Carol (Swan) Jordan of West Bethel and the late Louis (Georgopoulos) Paul and Florice (Grover) Paul of West Bethel. Sarah is currently living at Fort Drum, N.Y. Her husband, Sgt. Jason Latham, is serving our country in Iraq.

Both Jason and Sarah would love to receive mail from Sarah's friends and acquaintances. Sarah and Jason would love to hear from students as well. Please send postcards and letters, artwork, etc. Sarah's address is: Sarah J. P. Latham, 109 31E Anzzio Loop, Fort Drum, NY 13603.

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This past weekend I drove to Portland with two of my spinning friends to attend the Fourth Annual Spa Knit and Spin weekend at the Doubletree Hotel. There were plenty of vendors present, but no formal agenda except to sit around and knit or spin and schmooze. I don't know the exact number of attendees, but spinners and knitters owned the hotel for those three days! We were able to make use of the pool and hot tub, and several people availed themselves of manicures and massages, reiki and relaxation.

As I write, the sun is shining brightly, the air is cold, and it would be a perfect day if only there were several inches of new snow on the ground. Instead, I see patches of green surrounded by glare ice. Think snow! Area businesses need it. Send news. 836-3011; dhoeh@megalink.net.

Andover



by Melinda Averill

We had quite a windstorm on Friday evening, a few areas in town lost

their power for about 14 hours. We were lucky enough on East B Hill Road not to lose ours.

Sympathy is extended to the family of John Shaw, of Roxbury Pond, who passed away on Feb. 9. He is survived by his wife, Jean, his mother, Thelma Berry of Dixfield, and several nieces and nephews. A celebration and memorial was held at Meader and Sons in Rumford on Saturday, Feb. 18.

Sympathy is also extended to the family of Joyce Palton, Roxbury Pond, who passed away on Feb. 12 in Florida, while staying with her daughter and son-in-law. She is survived by her husband, Joseph, and their daughter, Joanne Riley, and husband, Thomas, and grandchildren, Joel and Erin.

The 68-year-old East Andover Community Club met at the Calvary Bible Church dining room on Feb. 13, with Marge Stinson and daughter, Donna Joy Gagne, as hostesses. Fourteen members attended, with one guest, Irene Lascamp. President Barbara Meisner read a poem, "Never A Time." Reports were read and accepted. Violet Swain, a charter member of the club, reviewed some of the activi-

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Super Crossword Self-directed

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ties of the club for all these years. Betty Moore won the door prize. Mystery sisters exchanged valentine gifts, and a game was enjoyed. The March 13 meeting will be at the same church and the hostess will be Vickie Cuff. Others attending were Sandra Wainwright, Beatrice Schneider, Glenna Allen, Lorena Simmons, Mary Bailey, Kathleen Thew and Margie Towne.

Robert Swain attended the February meeting of the Mundt-Allen Post 81 in Bethel on Feb. 14.

Margie Towne, her sister, and two other friends are spending twelve days in Hawaii.

Happy Birthday today, Feb. 23, to Jacob Rainey, and Jacob McGurn. Also to Jeremy Putnum on Feb. 29.

Have a nice weekend.

East Stoneham



by Eleanor Nelson

Hi people. How do you like this nice summer day (Thursday,

Feb. 16). They say we are to get rain tomorrow and then cold weather, so Frances Grant and I took advantage of the nice day and went to Norway and got pills and lab work, etc. and had lunch at our favorite restaurant over there. We had a good day.

Saturday, Feb. 11, Marilyn Jones, Joe and Wanda Ryserson from Norway called on Brenda Files and had an enjoyable visit and saw Brenda's new pet fish. Brenda's brother, Paul (who is staying with his son in Oxford), also called on Brenda recently.

Betty Morrison has left Wal-Mart in Oxford and is currently employed in New Hamp-

shire at Wendy's.

I talked with Sharon Ber- man in Belmont, Mass., and she tells me that Nawal Traish was again at the top of her class in the History Project and will represent her class in District competition. Congratulations, Nawal, and good luck.

Lance Zee (nickname "Zubie") from New York has been visiting Dennis and Gail Meka this past weekend and got some skiing in at Sunday River. He also attended the Waterford-Stoneham Lions meeting with them.

Wednesday, Waterford-Stoneham Lions met at the Stoneham Rescue Building for their regular meeting. In the absence of President Paul Hersey, Pat Carson, opened the meeting at 6:30 p.m. after having snacks and drinks and a social time. There were 15 people present. Business was taken care of and several suggestions made for future planning. The March meeting will be at the Bear Mtn. Inn. The meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

East Bethel



by Nancy Mercer

Stuart and Roian Twitchell have had a week's vacation in Apex, N.C., to visit his daughter, Tracy Milligan and family. They returned on the 23rd.

Charmaine Cote of Manchester, N.H., visited and helped Arlene Harrington from Feb. 12 to 16. Now that Arlene is feeling better, she would like a little snow to go skiing on.

There will be a Grange meeting on March 10 at Lynn Mason-Courtney's home.

Andre and Flossie Bernier were in Jackman Feb. 11-16 for

snow machining.

If you have any news, give me a ring at 824-3350. Have a nice week. God Bless the Troops.

West Paris



by Joyce Lamb

What a strange winter we are having. Friday night I went to bed

with heavy snow and brisk winds outside. In the morning all the snow had blown away leaving brown leaves and grass. Maybe there won't be any snow to shovel for the rest of the winter. The ski areas and snowmobilers are suffering. But us homeowners are saving money, for a plow is not necessary to keep the driveways clear.

On Sunday, Feb. 26, Shirley Miller will be guest speaker at the West Paris Universalist Church. Organist is Jim Burke. Services start at 9 a.m. followed by a social coffee hour. We welcome you all.

People are still not getting out much with this windy, cold weather.

Beverly Stevens and I are each making a quilt. Beverly's is king size with a fancy pattern that she is making for a gift. Her work is beautiful and exciting.

My quilt was started by my mother many years ago and is the tumbler pattern. She had stitched the pieces together by hand but had only finished about two thirds of it. The rest of the pieces were cut out and ready to sew. I am not used to doing fine hand sewing but it is coming along fine. The material is old, from the thirties. The back will be from an older print also.

Beverly and I went to Auburn for batting material for there was a good sale on. We

each are trying the newer cotton filler which is washable and will not shift and mat. This should keep us busy for the next week.

It is reported that Cynthia Lamb is out walking some after her back surgery. We hope she and Sayward will stay well for the rest of the winter. Their temperature there has been colder than usual.

Edith and Ivan Morey are doing well this winter. Ivan was feeding the birds when I stopped in after going to Bethel to get a haircut. They enjoy watching the ice fishermen on the pond across the road from their home in Locke Mills.

Buffy is still going out and in all day. He doesn't care for the wind but does enjoy the sun. When I call he comes running and is glad to be inside.

Gilead



by Lin Chapman

Weather once again is the biggest story in town. Last Friday, the wind was so

strong that it put the electricity out twice. The first time was for just a couple of hours and then later on the power was out for about four hours.

Capt. Steve McLain called to say hello to his parents, Stephen and Lise McLain. He also e-mailed a new picture of himself in his new camouflaged uniform that has been issued by the Army.

Our son, Chris Chapman, called us last weekend. He has just moved from Albuquerque, N.M., to St. Cloud, Minn. He arrived there just in time for some record-breaking below-zero weather.

Gilead Historical Society Hugh and I went to Heritage Days at the Bethel Historical Society this past weekend. We had to go to the Moses

Mason House to sample their delicious Indian pudding. Dr. Stanley Howe, Allan Marcotte, Amy Davis and Annie Hastings were greeting the visitors. I hadn't seen Annie for a while so we had a chance to have a short visit. A visit to the BHS has to include the shop in the O'Neil Robinson House. They have several new books since I was last there. I picked up a book on Oxford County. There was also a group of ladies demonstrating crafts. We also got to visit with Danna Nickerson, who was on duty at the shop with Jean Owen. Danna's husband, George, had found the missing part for the stereoscope recently acquired by the GHS. Randall Bennett was there, so we got to discuss some Gilead ancestors.

Judy Daniels Bishop sent a note to let me know that she and husband, Bob, did not make the recent meeting because of the weather, and to go on record that they were in favor of the articles. She also noted that Bob had sent the address for the Bethel Historical Society website (www.bethel-historical.org) to a friend of hers in Florida and they were enjoying reading about the GHS.

This week's little bit of Gilead History was taken from the Lewiston Evening Journal in 1904, that covered the Gilead Centennial. The excerpt comes from the speech made by R. D. Hastings who was master of ceremonies and acted as the marshal of the day. There is a lot of interesting information in this paper and there will be more on the BHS website, so keep checking.

"Gilead since her incorporation has had born to her many worthy sons and daughters, many of whom have joined the silent majority, some of whom are still in active life and your committee had hoped up to the eleventh hour that many more were to be with us today, conspicuous among whom is His Honor, Judge Henry Peabody of Portland, one of the judges of the supreme court of the State of Maine, who at the last

moment was obliged to decline your committee's invitation to address you today."

Got any news? Call 836-2987 or e-mail chapmal@hotmail.com.

Newry



by Sylvia Harrington

Many thanks to Pete, who lives under a green roof in a log cabin on

Route 26, for the discarded holiday tree. I'm hoping the birds will like their new resting place as well as a place to hide from predators. I haven't seen any birds use it yet and wonder if the branches are too prickly for them.

News from the Town Office: The office was closed on Washington's Birthday, the 20th. The Board of Selectmen did meet that evening at 7 p.m. There will be a Public Hearing at the Town Office on Feb. 27 at 7 p.m. Remember the Town Meeting will take place on Monday, March 6, at 7 p.m. at Bear River Grange. A 5:30 potluck supper will precede the meeting. Agenda materials are posted at the Town Office or call 824-3123 for information.

On Friday, the wind blew so hard here that a metal rod holding wood under a tarp was lying flat on the ground — some of the wood, too, — the next morning. I noticed, driving home today, that the Davis' roadside stand was lying flat as well. With the power outages caused by the winds and getting it restored twice in one day, plus in the dark on Friday night, I could only think about what a dangerous occupation they have and how difficult it must be to work on the liens under such unfavorable conditions. Many thanks to CMP personnel for always being on the job.

Last week, I mentioned Monty Python programs coming up this Wednesday and Thursday at 10:30 on PBS. Many thanks

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for the nice phone message, and remember one can always tape the programs to be watched at a later time. Yes, I used to watch the originals.

On Sunday, Karlene Bachelier and Gil Seeley left early in the morning to drive to Clare and George Romano's home in Wiscasset. A day with family and friends was spent in honor of Karlene's upcoming birthday this Friday. Attending were Heidi and Julie Littlefield and Natalie and Alexis from Winthrop; Jody Littlefield and his daughter, Kasey, from Nobleboro; Karlene's sister, Wilma Stuart from Unity, along with her daughter, Linda Parker from Troy; and Michele and Paul Josephson with their children, Nick and Kylie from Cumberland. Chili and spaghetti along with cake and ice cream were the main fare. Happy returns of the day to you, Karlene, tomorrow.

Speaking of birthdays, on Monday, the 20th, I helped my son, Mark, celebrate his 39th-plus. It was a special day. We went out to lunch and did a little shopping at the IGA before going back to have coffee and dessert, which was an apple crisp I brought in. We both had a little visit with Diane Cross and left her some of the dessert. I sure do miss the apples from Lyons Orchard.

Locke Mills

by Lorraine Larson
I was going to say how nice it was to be back online again after many months without the e-mail, but then the computer wanted to argue about the size of the type and I remembered how frustrated I got with it before and I thought, "Here we go again." But, at least, Ralph has gotten it virus free and some new firewalls up and that is a very big plus. It is also nice for Marcia way up in "the county" (there is only one, you know), to be able to keep in touch more often, to say nothing of

her mother who will try not to be too much of a nuisance. Actually, taking care of Ricky after school three times a week and spending a lot of my week-ends away, I haven't been having very much free time.

I am definitely not as fast as I used to be and John used to say I had only two speeds, slow and slower. I think I used up all my speeds in high school, which I remember took a lot of speed to get from one class to another in the allotted time, especially from the gym to the study hall. Seeing as how little time it seems as if I have nowadays to do something I cannot imagine how those teachers managed to cram so much in the 3/4-hour time period for each class we had. It seemed then that classes lasted forever, but I bet it didn't to the teachers. I have an hour and a half to do the study I do Wednesday night at the church and that goes fast enough.

Debbie and Owen Brown were in Massachusetts this past weekend visiting his aunt, Arlene Brown. They tried to beat the storm and, since I did not hear any storm stories, I guess they did. Not that it turned out to be anything of major importance here, which doesn't hurt my feelings any, but may not sit so well on the mountain folk. I really don't like to miss church and the pastor is doing a four-week study on Sunday nights, also, and driving at night is not my favorite thing to do but is more nerve-racking when it is snowing and blowing a gale.

We had a good turnout for our Valentine Supper at Praise Assembly. We had lots of salads and lasagna and just when we thought we couldn't hold any more a birthday cake was brought out for a lady who had a birthday that day. Her name is Linda, but she is fairly new to our church and I just realized as I was writing this that I don't know her last name. I shall remedy that this Sunday, if, of course, I remember to ask.

Last Wednesday evening, all the teens went to check out

what Wal-Mart had to offer in the way of clothes and music, books and such. Nowadays it is hard for Christian teens to find clothes that are the kind they prefer to wear and music of the kind they prefer to listen to, Pastor Justin and Mary went with them.

One Sunday morning they took the Youth Group down to the streets of Rumford to talk with people they found there. Sometimes they distribute food there, also.

Guess that is all I can think of right now. Hope you are all ready for the frigid air they are promising us for the week-end. So far it has felt like April this month. Nice on the fuel bills!

Hanover

by Clem Worcester
It was mighty windy for a few days last week. On Friday we had just about all the weather

that could be imagined. The day started off with mild temperatures, nearly 50 degrees. Then it started raining and hailing along with thunder and lightning. Following that the temperatures began dropping along with high winds and snow. That is when trees began falling. Power was lost in many areas. For a while the power was off in the western portions of Hanover. At Howard Pond the power was off at Plumbago Mountain Farm for nearly 24 hours. The weather remained windy through the weekend with temperature lows often below zero.

During the height of the windstorm Friday evening the Rumford Fire Department responded to an incident along Route 2 in Hanover.

During the evening one day last week Norm Ferguson

could see a vehicle parked by the riverbank near the Ferry Boat Landing. He continued watching into the night and noted in the morning that the lights were still on. When it was light enough to see, Norm went to the boat landing and found two people asleep in their vehicle with the motor operating. They were lucky for they might have succumbed to carbon monoxide poisoning. Norm's attention and response to the situation was a good example of the Neighborhood Watch in action.

Podiatry Management, a publication for the podiatric profession, for the month of February featured an article co-written by Jeff Watts of Hanover and Hal Ornstein, DMP. The article is titled "Building a Successful Practice through Disciples" and encourages the medical community to respond in a professional manner to create an extension of themselves in the practice as described.

Norman and Barbara Ferguson celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Jan. 29. The Fergusons were surprised with a reception at the Rumford Point Congregational Church with a cake and congratulatory cards. Congratulations to Barbara and Norman for 50 successful years together.

Bryant Pond

by Alice Hoyt
Judith Grover Tent 17 Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War met on

Monday, Feb. 13, at the home of Alice Hoyt. Seven members were present.

Installation of officers was held with officers the same as last year. Talked a little about the Senior Citizens dinner in April. Voted to change our

next meeting until March 20. Communications were read and reports handed out; they are to be mailed in before March 22.

Reported that valentines from the tent were sent to each patient at the Veterans' Home in South Paris and Ledgeview Living Center, West Paris. The mystery package went to Alice Hoyt, and the calls made were 22. There were short readings on former Presidents Lincoln, Washington, Johnson (Andrew) and Grant. Refreshments were served after the meeting.

A delicious dinner was served by the pastor, his wife and daughter to seniors 60 or over on Valentine's Day. Nineteen people were present. It was a very enjoyable time. Thanks to Pastor, Becky and Emily.

The Woodstock Extension met on Wednesday at the Town Annex. The meeting was on Egypt so in the potluck dinner some items of food were included from that country. Seven members were present.

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School at 9:15 a.m.; morning worship at 10:30 a.m.; choir practice at 5 p.m.; evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. is prayer meeting and Thursday at 9 a.m. is ladies prayer time. Feb. 25 is Family Fun Night at 5 p.m. with pizza and games.

At the February meeting of the Historical Society Paul and Vicki Billings talked about their honeymoon in the Caribbean. They described how elaborate the ship with 1,200 passengers was with everything from a huge auditorium to a miniature golf course.

The stops included Jamaica, Grand Cayman and Mexico. They saw everything from a turtle farm and plantation to Mayan ruins. The honeymoon account was appropriate to Valentine's Day. Paul and Vicki supplied the mystery package. Ruth Cox gave the research report.

Curator Larry Billings thanks Sandy Dennis at Books N Things in Bethel for her kindness. She has sold books from the Historical Society for him and he has bought good books from her, too. She has a beautiful golden retriever.

The Historical Society features town artifacts, antiques, and art in its museum. They also have a large number of quilts and rare Peachblow, Amberina, Custard, Cranberry and Bristol glass.

Larry Billings had a very good Valentine's Day. He bought a print he wanted for himself and looked around several stores.

There were a lot of flowers left that he enjoyed but he did not buy any. He bought one a couple days before for his mother and Paul and Vicki Billings gave her a miniature rose besides.

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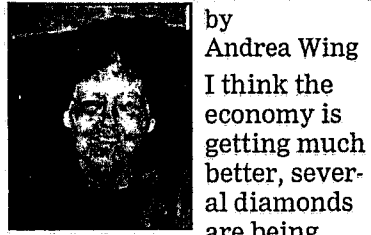
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South Woodstock



by Andrea Wing
I think the economy is getting much better, several diamonds are being found in Perkins Valley area. Congrats to the Telstar basketball girls' team on their great record and fun times. They have had playing through high school. One of the girls on the team is Chea Davis, who is the great-granddaughter of Tommy Poland of South Woodstock. I wish them all good luck and happiness in the future.

I have had a good time watching some of the Olympics. They try so hard and have many mishaps but keep going. They are all champions. Good luck to the athletes from the U.S.A.

Grammie Kellie Wing brought baby Landy up for a visit. He is getting bigger and

so cute when he smiles. I love to see him whenever possible. Jessie came and took him home after a few hours.

I cannot believe the weather here. Our lawn is just about bare, and in the last part of February. We will probably get more than we can handle soon, but winter will be shorter anyway.

Richard Austin, Tucky Jackson, Frank Frazer, Murrill Blazier, Richard House, Brandon Ballweber and Merle Cox paid dooryard visits this past week.

It has been such nice weather and Richard is outside a lot. Laurie Wiacek also paid a short visit.

Tim Poland stopped by for an outside visit on Thursday and Joe Pete Appleby called on Richard a couple of times.

Dale Hadley has gone to Florida for the rest of the winter.

Larry Billings, curator, Woodstock Historical Society reports that at the February meeting Paul and Vicki Billings gave a report on their honeymoon just in time for Valentine's Day. It was spent in the Caribbean and sounded exotic. Ruth Cox gave the research report. President Olive Risko and Mary Billings supplied refreshments. Olive Risko will have the March meeting.

Quote of the Week: "I have learned that home is a place where a man can say what he likes, because no one takes any notice of him anyway."

Waterford



by Rockie Graham
It is Feb. 20, 2006 and winter has finally happened. This past week-end made up for all the warm and fuzzy days we've had. The temperature was low and the wind never quit. Working as we do in the wind tunnel known as the transfer station, we were less than warm. We spent more time than usual in the "office" warming up; but we survived.

Now that it is a non-work morning, they are predicting warm temperatures, yet we are still in the deep freeze this a.m.

This evening is the "dump" committee meeting. I will report next week. For now I must find out the progress of our new sign. It should be up soon. The boys want all our signs to be magnetic. Hate to say it, but they would fly as quickly as the made-up ones do when the wind hits them. We shall see.

Also, this evening I am looking forward to seeing my friend Greg. Haven't seen each other in 11 or 12 years. Much has happened. I am married and living in Waterford. He has an 11-year-old son. Can't wait.

This is vacation week. Watch out for young ones on the roads. Probably won't be going off on bicycles, but you never know. We don't really have a plethora of snow so they may be there.

This weekend are the Democratic caucuses. Waterford is at 4 p.m. at the Waterford Town Office. Albany is at 3:30 p.m., and I am not sure about Stoneham. Do not have an agenda, but this year we will have candidates running for state office and have to elect people for state and local party positions. For information call Cathy Newell in Greenwood.

I said my Jeep died. It is not terminal, but we are tired of bothering with it, so I bought a Kia. It is 4-wheel drive and gets great gas mileage. It has only 30,000 miles. We shall see. It is exciting.

That is all for this week. Must go out and do some work before I have to leave for work. Have a great week.

Albany



by Sheila Dyke
Greetings and hello from Albany Township. They're always saying about Maine weather, "If you don't like the weather, wait a moment," and last week certainly proved that. We went from temps in the upper 50s to below zero with the wind chill factor. One moment, bright and sunny, the next raining, then hail, then snow, then sunshine again. Crazy! We also hear that parts of the Township lost power over the weekend (we were fortunate — it only blinked off a couple of times — the most inconvenience we suffered was having

to reset our clocks. Oh, yeah, I have to re-record the answering machine message, too).

Callie Pecunies told me over the weekend she and Dave had been without power for quite some time. Fortunately, they have a woodstove (like so many of us here in Albany) plus a gas cook stove, so they were able to keep warm and fed. For those of you without a woodstove or other alternative heat source, we hope you were able to find a way to stay warm during the blistering cold.

You should make sure to look for the folks from the church on Saturday at the IGA (okay, Bethel Foodliner) with home-baked goodies. The funds raised from these bake sales are going to the Albany scholarship for our youngsters when they graduate from high

school and make their next educational journey on to college. Every bit helps, and it directly benefits our community; the more educated our children are, the better off we all are.

I passed Fernand Corriveau Sunday morning at about 7:30 on his way to make sure that the church warmed up for 9:30 services. So, there is always a warm spot for you in the pews at the Albany church on the hill.

We hope that the kids are enjoying their week's vacation from school. Last week was Winter Carnival at Telstar, with the Winter Carnival dance on Saturday night. Remember those days?

Best wishes for a happy and safe week. God bless and keep.



CLASS A CHAMP—Telstar Middle School's Samantha Largess races in the giant slalom in last week's state Class A Ski Championships at Sunday River. Largess won the race, and her team won the alpine and overall championships. Results, page 9. (Photo: Dirk MacKnight)

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High School Boys' Varsity Basketball

North Yarmouth Academy 64, Telstar 50; Feb. 20—Telstar's Sean Caddigan scored 22 points in a Western Class C quarterfinal playoff loss to NYA at the Augusta Civic Center. Telstar scorers: Ryan Kimball (9); Steve McDonnell (7); James Kimball (3); Louis Thornton (3); Matt Zinchuk (2); Max Meader (2); Charles Haines (2). Caddigan had three three-pointers and Kimball one.

High School Girls' Varsity Basketball

Dirigo 39, Telstar 38; Feb. 21— Telstar's Bailey Davis scored 17 points in a Western Class C quarterfinal playoff loss to Dirigo. Telstar scorers: Kelsey Dole (7); Chea Davis (4); Josie Rgiss (6); Jillian Kimball (2); Liz Rosenberg (2). Bailey Davis had three three-pointers.

Kents Hill 46, Gould 45; Feb. 10 (Senior Day)—The Gould women suffered a heartbreaking one-point loss versus Kents Hill. The team entered the game with lots of emotion following presentations to the Gould seniors, Carley Rudd, Simone Crowe and Heather Kelleher. Kelleher had two quick fouls in the first few minutes of the game, and had to sit the remainder of the quarter. Gould trailed by six points going into the second. Kelleher returned to start the second and scored eight points before suffering her third foul of the game. However, first-year guard, Katie Smith picked up the slack and finished the half with two enormous buckets. Gould went into the half tied with the third-ranked Kents Hill team. The strong showing in the first half gave Gould confidence, and they had a strong third quarter. Heather Kelleher was on a roll, scoring five quick points and the team led by eight before a questionable charge call forced her removal from the game. Point guard Carley Rudd kept the team together and Gould led 34-30 going into the fourth. But some costly turnovers and missed free throws down the stretch cost Gould the game, and Kents Hill snuck out of Farnsworth with the 46-45 win. Kents Hill guard, Ogwe had six points in the final quarter to seal the deal. Additionally, Kents Hill was 10-13 from the free throw line for the game. Kelleher finished with 18 points and Rudd had 17. Seana Slekm and Katie Smith each had four. Coach Shibles and Coach Newell were extremely proud of the effort and execution.

High School Boys' Cross-country Skiing

Class C State Championships at Black Mt.; Feb. 20— Telstar placed 11th in a field of 12 schools. Winning time: 12:26.1 (69 skiers). Telstar finishers: 44. Lance Brown 16:01.3; 47. Roy DePasquale 16:18.8; 61. Will Chapman 19:04.9.

Mountain Valley Conference Championships at Black Mt.; Feb. 15: Mt. Valley 93, Winthrop 164, Jay 247, Telstar 265, Dirigo 403. Winning time: 13:18.5. Telstar finishers: 15. Lance Brown 16:22.4; 22. John Lewis 17:10.1; 27. Roy DePasquale 17:47.0; 29. Will Chapman 19:31.3.

High School Girls' Cross-country Skiing

Class C State Championships at Black Mt.; Feb. 20— Telstar placed sixth in a field of 10 schools. Winning time: 13:28.1. Telstar finishers: 27. Katlyn Keane 18:01.7; 30. Danna Wilson 18:08.1; 34. Jen DeNormandie 19:08.0; 36. Lisa Aron 19:34.3; 54. Brienne Bailey 25:00.6.

Mountain Valley Conference Championships at Black Mt.; Feb. 15: Mt. Abram 121, Telstar 122, Mt. Valley 222, Dirigo 331, Livermore Falls no score, Carabec no score. Winning time: 17:17.8. Telstar finishers: 2. Brienne Bailey 17:19.6; 8. Katlyn Keane 18:48.5; 10. Danna Wilson 18:54.5; 11. Jen DeNormandie 19:15.2; 13. Lisa Aron 19:58.0.

High School Boys' Alpine Skiing

Class C State Championships at Sunday River; Feb. 20— Giant slalom: Telstar placed fifth in a field of 11 schools. Winning time: 1:34.75 (66 skiers). Telstar finishers: 10. Frankie Del-



BLOCKED—Telstar's Matt Zinchuk denies a North Yarmouth Academy player a layup in Monday's playoff game. NYA won, 64-50. (Photo: A. Aloisia)

Duca 1:44.59; 27. Jake DeNormandie 1:54.32; 29. Stephen Scotti 1:55.39; 34. Mark Emerson 1:58.57; 43. Paul Saucier 2:05.94. Slalom: Telstar placed seventh. Telstar finishers (58 skiers): 1. Stephen Scotti 1:23.83; 32. Andrew Gundersen 2:00.61; 45. Teague Merrill 2:26.09; 48. Mark Emerson 2:55.32.

High School Girls' Alpine Skiing

Class C State Championships at Sunday River; Feb. 20—

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Giant slalom: Telstar placed fourth in a field of 10 schools. Winning time: 1:37.32 (51 skiers). Telstar finishers: 7. Julia Sambolis 1:47.11; 21. Jen DeNormandie 1:58.69; 22. Lauren Conroy 1:59.92; 32. Margaret Duplessis 2:09.21; 36. Peggy DePasquale 2:13.29. Slalom: Telstar placed fifth. Winning time: 1:29.44 (61 skiers) Telstar finishers: 16. Lauren Conroy 2:02.30; 17. Jen DeNormandie 2:03.38; 21. Whitney James 2:10.26; 22. Margaret Duplessis 2:13.43; 37. Heather Gionet 2:38.66.

TMS Boys' Alpine Skiing

Class A State Championships at Sunday River: Top 10 Telstar racers: Slalom: 2. Devon Brown; 6. Anthony Parsons; 8. Taylor Reis; 14. Peter Cowan; 30. Darren Jodrey; 32. Mitchell Fraser; 34. Gavin Lee; 42. Michael MacKnight; 52. Mitchell Lee; 2. Devon Brown; 5. Taylor Reis; 6. Michael MacKnight; 9. Gavin Lee;

TMS Girls' Alpine Skiing

Class A State Championships at Sunday River: Slalom: Telstar racers: 2. Meghan Costello; 3. Victoria Bobbe; 5. Samantha Largess; 8. T.J. Cowin; 13. Felicia Dumont; 14. Marion Thurston; 22. Lindsay James; 27. Morgan Lee; 30. Samantha Southam. Giant Slalom: 1. Samantha Largess; 2. Victoria Bobbe; 5. T.J. Cowin; 7. Marion Thurston; 9. Morgan Lee; 12. Meghan Costello; 21. Lindsay James; 33. Samantha Southam.

TMS Boys' Cross-country Skiing

Class A State Championships at Black Mt.: Freestyle: Telstar racers: 1. Peter Cowan; 9. Jeb Clarke; 24. Adam Mahar; 30. Ben Lewis; 36. Jared Rice; 39. James Picirillo; 40. Matt Keane; Classical: 2. Peter Cowan; 8. Jeb Clarke; 29. Ben Lewis; 41. Matt Keane; 45. James Picirillo.

TMS Girls' Cross-country Skiing

Class A State Championships at Black Mt.: Freestyle: Telstar racers: 4. Alice Hottop; 14. Molly Keane; 16. Meghan Bonney; 17. Samantha Southam; 19. Molly Siegel; 33. Roxanne Jewell; 35. Helen Cooper. Classical: 6. Alice Hottop; 12. Molly Siegel; 14. Samantha Southam; 17. Molly Keane; 25. Roxanne Jewell; 28. Helen Cooper; 31. Meghan Bonney.

USSA Alpine Skiing

Gould Skiers make Junior Olympics and Eastern Championships: Five Gould Alpine Skiers will head to the Junior Olympic Championships this year, based on winning performances at the Titcomb Mountain qualifier this past weekend. Kyle Anderson ('09) finished the season as the number two qualifier for the Junior Olympics, and teammates Aaron Wiggins ('10) and Matt Peredja ('10) landed the fourth and fifth qualifying positions, respectively. Abbey Gardner ('09) secured fourth place, and ('10) Jordan Ramharter ('10) ensured her spot with a fifth-place standing. Jordan, Aaron, and Matt are currently enrolled in Gould's eighth-grade winter term program, which focuses upon a select group of students with a passion for skiing or snowboarding on a competitive level. The athletes will travel to Gore and Whiteface, N. Y. in March to compete. It was also announced that alpine skiers Caitlin Forbes ('09), Willie Courtney ('07), Jonathon Parsons ('08), and Thacher Stone ('08) all qualified for the Eastern J2 Championships at Sunday River.

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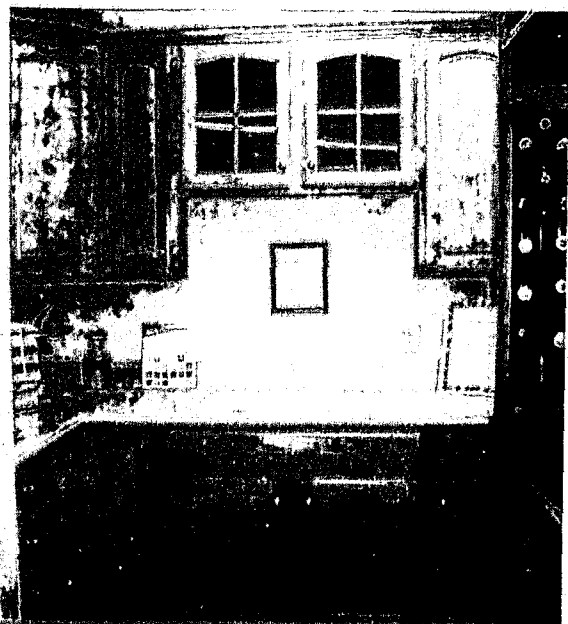
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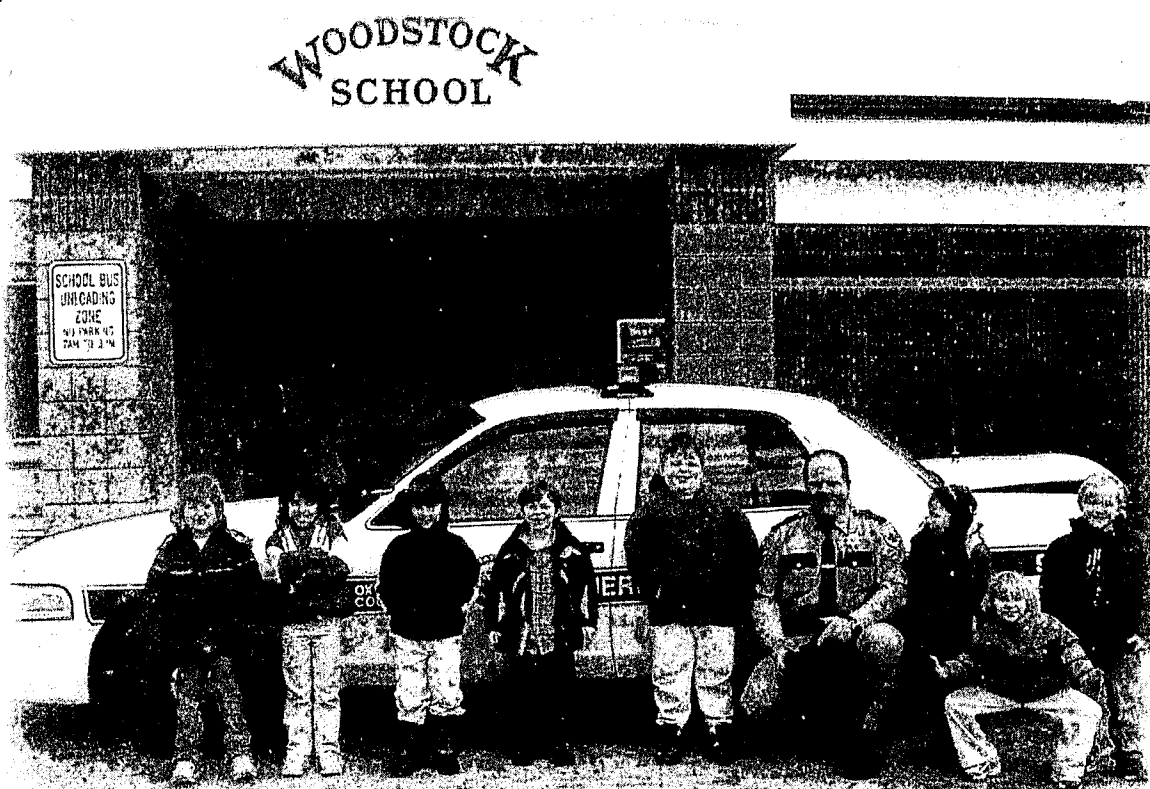
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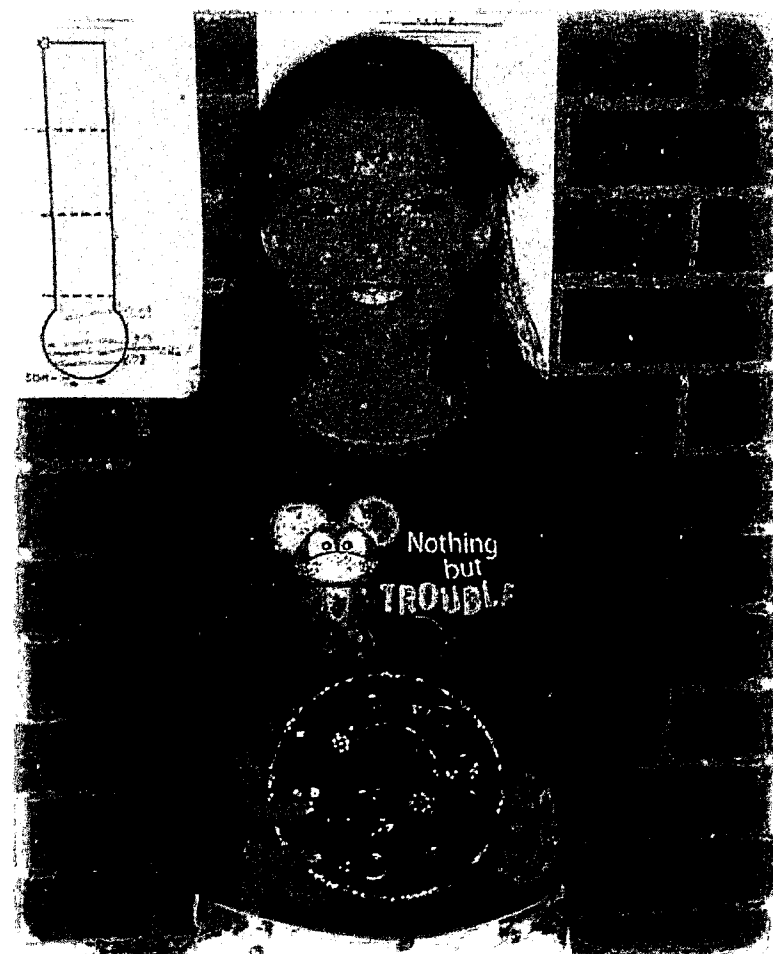
SCHOOL NEWS FROM AROUND THE DISTRICT



4th grade Student Council members with some of the money brought in. Front: Justin Stearns, Anna Saucier, Back: Autumn Morin, T.C. Wilson, and Samantha Mallory. Crescent Park School Student Council has organized a fundraising campaign for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society called Pennies for Patients. As of Thursday, February 9th, the students of Crescent Park School had already raised a total of \$679 in only four days, way beyond our goal of \$350. The campaign continues through February 17th. Money earned will be sent to the Society to support their efforts to find cures for blood cancers. The student body watched the video Why, Charlie Brown, Why? The video dealt with the subject of an elementary aged character who was diagnosed with leukemia and several of the issues that she and her friends went through as she was being treated. The Student Council would like to thank everyone from the Crescent Park School families and friends for all of their generous donations.



Ms. Rossignol's WES Kindergarten class received a special visit from Bruce Korhonen on February 6, 2006. Bruce works for the Oxford County Sheriff's Department and spoke to the students about safety and the role of a police officer in our community. The students each had a chance to sit in the police cruiser and get their picture taken.



Here Octavia Morin holds the box that was filled with change that she has been collecting. She decided that right before Christmas there were children out there more needy than her, so she took it upon herself to start to earn some money. Octavia is only in the 2nd grade so she decided that she would set up a store in her home and started selling things to family and friends that were hers. She went through her possessions and decided what could be sold. She had planned to give her money to one of the organizations that gave presents to children at Christmas, but she missed the deadline. She continued to save her money. So when the Pennies for Patients campaign came up at Crescent Park School, she decided that this would be an even better cause to support. Octavia saved around \$15 to give to this worthy cause. She is only one example of how the students at Crescent Park School have been giving generously to the Pennies for Patients campaign to help the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society raise money to benefit their efforts in finding cures for blood cancers.

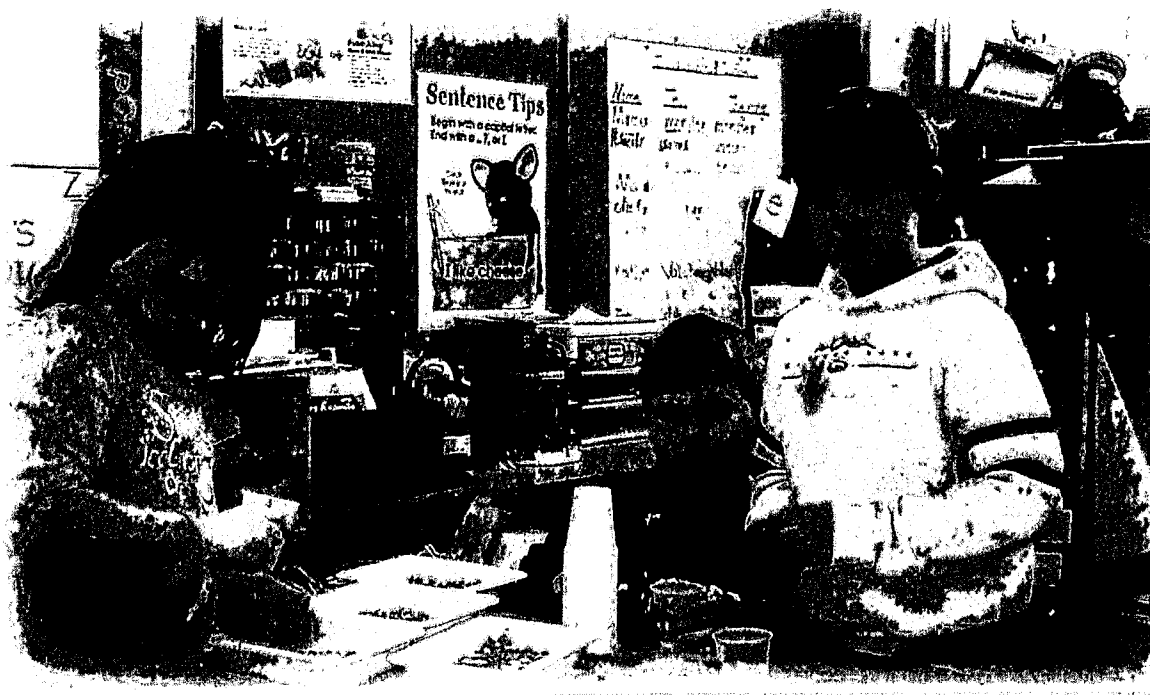


CELEBRATING 100's DAY: On February 10, 2006, the first-grade children at Woodstock celebrated the 100th day of school. Children brought in collections of 100 things including marbles, pennies, candy, pasta, colored stones, cereal, pinecones, and a sweatshirt with glow-in-the-dark stars. Throughout the day, students practiced counting to 100 by 1's, 2's, 5's, and 10's, made a necklace with 100 beads, looked for 100 hearts hidden throughout the room, filled in a blank 100's chart with their first name, counted with M&M's, and built objects with 100 pattern blocks, unifix cubes, colored tiles, paper shapes, or geo blocks. The day concluded with a story while everyone enjoyed strawberry cake decorated with 100 sprinkles.

MVC Championships at Black Mountain



Telstar High School alpine skier Margaret Duplessis competes in the giant slalom race at the Mountain Valley Conference Championships at Black Mountain in Rumford.



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9 a.m. (Fridays) — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Fare Share Food Coop, 418 Main Street, Norway. All bridge players invited to attend and bring a friend or two. Refreshments. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-8981) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net.

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Thru February 23-24

MPA State High School Championships Giant Slalom and Slalom at Sunday River. FMI: 824-3000 or www.sundayriver.com.

Thursday, Feb. 23

12 to 1 p.m. — Free Lunch for all Bethel Senior Citizens prepared and served by the Sophomore Class at Gould Academy in the school dining hall. Musical entertainment will follow. Call Nancy Mercer at 824-3350 for more information.

1 to 2:30 p.m. — Introduction to Family History Research, one of three genealogy workshops taught by Kathy Bolduc Amoroso, genealogist and outreach coordinator for Maine Memory Network, sponsored by Charlotte Hobbs Memorial Library and Lovell Historical Society at Charlotte Hobbs Library, Lovell. Cost: \$10 per session or \$25 for all three workshops. FMI or to sign up: 925-3277. Snow date: March 2.

6 p.m. — Bethel Lions Club meeting at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street, Bethel.

6 to 8 p.m. — English Garden Design presentation by Edith Ellis of Sunnyside Garden, Turner, at the McLaughlin Garden, 97 Main Street, South Paris. She will also show slides from her trip to Gardens of Cotswold in England. Free and open to public. FMI: www.mclaughlingarden.org or call 743-8820.

Friday, Feb. 24

6:30 p.m. sign-up — Open Mic Night at First Universalist Church, 479 Main Street, Norway. FMI: call Heather at 935-4505 or e-mail vessel@prexar.com.

February 24 and 25

7:30 p.m. — "The Wiz" — a remake of the classic fairy tale "Wizard of Oz," will be presented by Hebron Academy Players at Androscoggin Theater in Sargent Gymnasium. Free and open to public. FMI: 966-2100 or visit www.hebronacademy.org.

Saturday, Feb. 25

Joy of Skiing, a progressive picnic on skis at Sunday River Inn and Cross Country Ski Center. Benefits Maine Lung Association. FMI: 824-2410.

9 a.m. to noon — Bake Sale at Tri-Town Rescue barn, West Paris. Pies, bread, cakes and more. Sponsored by Tri-Town Auxiliary.

1 p.m. — Fun Day of Volleyball at BIG Adventure to benefit the Food Pantry at the District Exchange in Bethel. Organize your own team, or come and be put on a team. No registration fee, but donations of cash and food requested. FMI or to sign up your team: call Lori McPherson at 357-3862 or 364-3145 by Feb. 22.

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Bud Light Concert Series — Medeski, Martin & Wood at Sunday River. FMI: 824-3000 or www.sundayriver.com.

5 to 7 p.m. — Benefit Auction and Dance for Pauline W. Morgan, who was recently diagnosed with Multiple Myeloma, at Locke Mills Legion Hall. Silent auction, 50/50 raffle. Dance, with music by D.T. Entertainment, 8 to 12 p.m. \$6 per person or \$10 per couple. Food and refreshments. BYOB.

7 p.m. — Mike Miclon, laugh till you cry fun for all ages sponsored by Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series at Grand Ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort. Tickets: \$4 for 12 and under, \$6 for adults in advance or \$6/\$8 at door. Advance tickets available at Sunday River Welcome Center, Snow Cap Inn. The Grand

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8 to 11 p.m. — Old Fashioned Dance at Locke Mills Town Hall with music by Richard Felt Orchestra. Proceeds benefit Greenwood Historical Society.

February 25-26

All Day — Annual Ice-fishing Derby sponsored by Norway-Paris Fish and Game Association on all lakes and ponds in Maine as long as you can bring your fish to the Little Red Schoolhouse on Norway Lake, Route 118. \$50 prize for largest fish. Door prizes, raffle tickets. FMI: James Albert at 743-8339 or Mark Truman at 843-7445. Proceeds for sending area youth to Maine Conservation School in Bryant Pond.

Maine Mountain Series finals for Skiers and Snowboarders (Slopestyle and Halfpipe) at Sunday River. FMI: 824-3000 or www.sundayriver.com.

Fourth Annual Maine Telemark Festival (Demos, Clinics, Competitions, etc.) at Sunday River. FMI: 824-3000 or www.sundayriver.com.

Sunday, Feb. 26

2 p.m. — Western Mountains Senior College Intrepid Trekker Series will feature a presentation about Switzerland by Dean and Priscilla Walker and Walter and Beth Brough at West Parish Congregational Church Garland Chapel, Church Street, Bethel. Free to members of WMSJC; donations will be accepted from nonmembers unless they join at time of event. FMI: call J. Cressy at 824-0508.

3:30 p.m. — Caucus meetings for Democrats from Albany, Bethel, Gilead, Greenwood, Hanover, Milton, Newry, Upton and Woodstock will be held at Telstar Regional High School in Bethel.

Feb. 26-March 1

JII Easterns at Sunday River. FMI: 824-3000 or www.sundayriver.com.

Monday, Feb. 27

7 p.m. — 2006 One Book, One Community kick-off with talk by science author Hannah Holmes, who wrote "Suburban Safari" at the Forum at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School, sponsored by Norway Memorial Library. FMI: 743-5309.

Wednesday, March 1

6 to 8 p.m. — USDA Conservation Security Program information/working meeting for producers in the Upper and Lower Androscoggin River Watersheds at Newry Town Office, Route 26, Newry. FMI: visit www.menrsc.usda.gov.

6:30 p.m. — Ash Wednesday Service at Locke Mills Union Church. Everyone welcome.

7:30 p.m. — Greenwood Historical Society meeting at the historical building in Locke Mills (note change in time for the meeting). Program: Handmade Wooden Toys by Cubby Swan (he has quite a collection). All welcome.

Friday, March 3

10:30 a.m. — World Day of Prayer will be celebrated at Our Lady of Snows Catholic Church. Luncheon will follow. Snow date is March 10. This is an ecumenical worship service written by women of South Africa and all area church members are invited to attend. FMI: call Kay McMillan at 824-2324 or Rosabelle Tiff at 824-2053.

11:30 to 1 p.m. — Salmon Pie Luncheon at St. Barnabas Episcopal Church, located at Rumford rotary. Price: \$6/plate includes salmon pie, egg sauce, coleslaw, vegetable, pickles, roll, dessert and coffee or tea.

7 p.m. — Open Doors Concert Series at Second Congregational Church, Norway, presents family concert with singer/storyteller Jennifer Armstrong. Scottish bagpipe, fiddle, sit-down square dancing, Celtic, Appalachian and personal tales. No charge, but donations accepted at door. Refreshments served following concert.

March 3-4

6:30 p.m. — "A Taste of Shakespeare" — Romeo and Juliet and The Tempest will be presented by Hebron Academy Middle School drama students in Lepage Lecture Hall of Treat Science Building. Open to the public free of charge. Parking available in front of the school building, just off Station Road in Hebron. FMI: call Jill Silvestri at 966-2100.

March 3-5

New England Bill Koch Ski Festival sponsored by



The Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series Presents Mike Miclon: Comedy on Purpose

Mike Miclon brings his high-energy antics to Sunday River on February 25 with everything from wacky characterizations and sight gags to juggling, and plenty of costumes, props and audience participation. His relentless

offerings of visual comedy deservedly fall within the ranks of Chaplin, Keaton and Lloyd for its silent brilliance. Miclon's performance provides "laugh till you cry" fun for the all ages.

The show takes place at 7:00 PM in the North and South Ballroom of the Grand Summit Resort Hotel at Sunday River Ski Resort. Tickets for this event are \$4 for children (12 & under) and \$6 for adults in advance or \$6 and \$8 at the door. They may be purchased on-mountain at the South Ridge Welcome Center, the Snow Cap Inn and the Grand Summit Hotel front desk or at Books & Things in Bethel. For further information you may call (207) 824-3575.

Bethel Outing Club at Bethel Inn and Gould Academy ski trails. Bill Koch will be on hand to sign autographs for children on request. Anyone interested in helping may contact Beth Clarke at 824-4692 or clarkbeb@sad44.org. Visit www.billkochfestival.org/2006/ for more information.

Saturday, March 4

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. — 15th annual X-C Ski Event (previously scheduled Feb. 18) sponsored by Western Foothills Land Trust for the Trust, at Carter's X-C Ski Center, Intervale Road, Bethel. Rates: \$12 for adults, \$8 for kids. Homemade chilies, soups, breads. FMI: 824-3880 or 539-4848 or visit www.cartersxcski.com.

5:30 p.m. — Public Supper at Bethel Methodist Church. Menu: baked beans, hot dishes, salads, pie rolls, beverage. Adults, \$6; under 12, \$2.50.

7 p.m. — Lynn Trefzger, Comedy Ventriloquist, presented by The Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series, will perform in the North and South Ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort, Newry. Tickets: \$4/\$6 kids (6-12), \$6/\$8 adults. FMI: 824-3575.

Monday, March 6

7 p.m. — Newry Town Meeting at Bear River Grange Hall.

Tuesday, March 7

7 p.m. — Burlington Taiko, Japanese Drumming, presented by The Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series, will perform in the Grand Ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort, Newry. Tickets: \$4/\$6 kids (6-12), \$6/\$8 adults. FMI: 824-3575.

Thursday, March 9

Becky Shaw Day at Mt. Abram. \$30 "Becky Ticket" proceeds for Rebecca J. Shaw Parapetrometric Education.

10 a.m. — At Whitman Memorial Library: D.C. Scherer, a native Mississippian who now lives in Greenwood,

will be guest speaker at the library. She has just published her first children's book, "The Cat With the Question Mark Tail." The program is open to the public at no charge. Light refreshments will be served.

1 to 2:30 p.m. — Internet Genealogy, one of three genealogy workshops taught by Kathy Bolduc Amoroso, genealogist and outreach coordinator for Maine Memory Network, sponsored by Charlotte Hobbs Memorial Library and Lovell Historical Society at Charlotte Hobbs Library, Lovell. Cost: \$10 per session or \$25 for all three workshops. FMI or to sign up: 925-3277. Snow date: March 16.

It's always wise to call ahead

Listings in The Citizen's weekly Community Calendar are compiled from a wide variety of sources. While we do our utmost to ensure the reliability of the information presented here, we recognize that when dealing with such a large volume of material, some inaccuracies will occasionally creep in. And in other cases, a sponsoring organization's plans may change between the time The Citizen is printed and the event is held. Accordingly, we strongly urge our readers to call ahead to verify the details of any event they plan to attend. Doing so will greatly reduce the chance of disappointment or needless inconvenience.

Support Services

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5086; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

AA MEETINGS

Bethel Freedom Group's Big Book Meeting Sundays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Closed Women's Speaker/Discussion Meeting, Tuesdays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Step Meeting, Fridays at 6pm at Bethel United Methodist Church.

Al-Anon Meeting Mondays at 8pm at the Oxford Advent Christian Church (use the north side entrance of the church)

ADDICTION HELP

Narconon, a nonprofit public benefit organization that specializes in helping people with drug or alcohol addictions offers FREE assessments and more than 11,000 local referrals through the 800 line. Drug addiction can be overcome and Narconon can help. Call (800) 556-8885 or visit www.drugrehab.net.

ALCOHOL & DRUG COUNSELING

Alcohol and drug counseling, Saturdays at Bethel Counseling Center, 16 Parkway (Professional Building). Tom Kelly, LADC, 357-7354

EXCHANGES

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday 1-4pm, Thursday 4-6pm and Saturday, 10am-12pm.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

MS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30pm at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Gale Tout at 836-2900.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Meets Tuesday in the conference room at the Mexico Congregational UCC ("The Green Church"), 153

Main Street, Mexico. Everything spoken and heard here is confidential. Anyone trying to cope with the loss of a loved one is welcome. FMI call Sue Byam at 364-8185

MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional, or physical illness, provides support, relaxation, and socialization. Monday 1 to 5pm; Tuesday 9am-2pm; Wednesday 9am-6pm; Wednesday 3-8pm; Friday 2-7pm; Saturday 11am-4pm. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness, same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday 8am-4pm. For more information, call 364-3549 or (800) 335-9999, or in off-hours 928-3222.

POST PARTUM SUPPORT GROUP

"Meet the Midwives" meets from 5-6:30 every first Tuesday of the month, and the Post Partum Support Group meets every fourth Wednesday of the month from 6:30-7:30. The meetings take place at Blue Moon Midwives, 176 Main Street, Norway, directly across from Stephen's Memorial Hospital. For more information, call 207-739-2800 or visit www.bluemoonmidwives.com

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault, sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

VETERANS' SERVICES (STATE/VA BENEFITS)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9-12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday 9-12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 29 Westminster St., 7:30am to 4pm, Monday thru Friday, Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15pm. Tel. 392-4841.

ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 10 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School at 9:30am; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the home of Fernand Coriveau until Easter.

ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Rev. Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 a.m. followed by coffee fellowship. All are welcome. FMI: 392-3574.

Calvary Bible Church - Pastor Fred Laskamp. Morning worship at 10:15 noon. Sunday School, 9:30-10:30. Wednesday bible study and prayer meeting 6:30 p.m. Rt. 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church - Pastor Kevin Bellinger 824-2289. Sundays. Sunday School for adults and children at 9am; Morning worship service at 10am; Kidz Klub (4th-5th grade) and Youth Group (6th-12th grade) at 5:30pm; Evening service at 6pm Wednesdays. Prayer fellowship at 7pm.

Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason. 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. morning worship. Wednesday evening service in different locations. Call for info. 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7389 FMI.

West Parish Congregational - Rev. Virginia Rickman. 10 a.m. worship, child care available. Prayer, Tuesday, 8 a.m. FMI call 824-0550.

Our Lady of the Snows - Mass. Saturday, 1:30 p.m. Pastor: Rev. Gerald A. Levesque 743-2966.

United Methodist - Geoffrey Gross. Pastor. 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.

West Bethel Union - a.m. worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. For information, call 836-2844 or 836-2682. Rev. Earl H. Bell.

Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Aaron McNally. 9 a.m. Sunday school 10 a.m. worship. Awana Clubs. FMI 836-3006 or 824-2037.

Episcopal House Church - Holy communion service the third and fourth Sundays of every month at 4 p.m. at 38 Chapman Street. For further information, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 824-2913.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mills Road (Route 26), Bethel. Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday. 824-3577 FMI.

Seventh Day Adventist Fellowship: Meets at the Nazarene Church on Saturdays, on Church Street in Bethel. For more info, call 824-8939.

EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish - North Waterford Congregational Church & Stoneham Congregational Church. Sunday worship services 10 a.m. at North Waterford through winter. Five Rogers Road off Rt. 45 & 47, opposite Meeks' Market. Rev. George Froberg, 833-6461.

GORHAM, NH

Assembly of God - Pastor Paul LeVigen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m. Sunday evening service 7 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m. FMI 603-466-2851.

HARRISON

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church - Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison, Maine. Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sunday worship at 8:45 a.m. Church school 10:15 a.m. for kids kindergarten - grade 12. Call 363-9921 or 993-7040 for more info.

LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev. Frank Haines. Sunday morning service will begin at 9 a.m. Bible study at the church is every Tuesday at 6:30pm. Everyone is welcome.

MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints - 205 Main Street. Worship service Sundays at 10am. Pres. Peter Beecel. 364-3361.

NEWRY

Newry Community Church - Sunday worship service at Rodney H. Hanson, pastor. Services in the church will resume in April.

Sunday River Christian Ministry - with Rev. Don Coverdale and gospel singer Cynthia Little. On mountain interdenominational worship service held every Sunday during the season. 10:30am to 11:30am. Located in "Upper Room" of River House, South Bridge area. Come as you are, for service of praise, prayer, and praise!

NORWAY/PARIS

First Church of Christ, Scientist - Sunday service 10 a.m. Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m. Morrill Rd. Rt. 118 (easter corner to Norway Country Club), Norway. Call 824-4999 FMI or ride.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church - Route 11, N. S. Paris. Pastor Tom Teichmann. Sunday morning service 10:15 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after Sunday School at 9 a.m.

North Paris Federation - Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 8 a.m. Pastor Bruce Tyler. 674-2968. Singers perform third Sunday each month alternating with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m.

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) Sunday worship 9:30 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris across the park from the Post Office. Call Ursula Brandon at 665-2880 or Sue Reilly at 966-2012 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church - 33 Paris St. Sunday services at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. Healing service with communion 9:30 a.m. on Wednesdays. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6732 for more information.

First Baptist Church of Paris. On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 a.m. worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour follows the service. Fellowship lunch held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake.

St. Catherine's: Saturday 6 p.m. Vigile Mass; Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass. Unitarian Universalist Church of Norway - 11am worship. (Sept - June) Child care is provided. Religious education classes 11am-12:15pm. FMI 743-2828.

OXFORD

St. Mary's - Saturday 4 p.m. Vigile Mass. Our Lady of Ransom: Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass.

RUMFORD

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church - Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Merrill Bittner, Priest-in-charge. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rotary.

RUMFORD CENTER

Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Justin Thacker. Sunday School 9:00 a.m., Sunday worship service at 10:00 a.m. Sunday prayer meeting at 6:00 p.m. Wednesday night bible study at 7:00 p.m. East Andover Rd. For more information, call 364-3856.

RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Pastor Frank Haines.

SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m.

WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist - Church of West Paris - 9 a.m. worship. 674-2365.

West Paris Baptist - Sunday Worship 9:45 a.m., Bruce Tyler, Pastor. Sunday School Preschool thru kindergarten 9:45am, Sunday School Grades 1-6, 10:25am. Sunday evening worship 7:00 p.m. Monday Diacomette meeting first Monday of the month. Tuesday ladies fellowship meets the fourth Tuesday of every month. Tea & Toys Time Bi Weekly 9:30-11:30am, Adult Choir Wednesday evenings. Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 7pm, church business meetings the third Wednesday of the month.

West Paris Congregational Church - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m., Sunday School 10 a.m.

WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist - Pastor Lawrence Hodkins. Sundays, Sunday School 9:15 a.m., Adult Bible Fellowship 9:15 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesdays: Kid's hour 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting & bible study 6:30 p.m.

Woodstock Seventh day Adventist - Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday, 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school, 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock) - Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Mahoes Mountain Friends - a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers) - Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Newcomers welcome. First Day School activities provided for children. Call Arla Patch 665-2224 FMI.

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30pm; Thursday 6-8pm. Tel: 392-4841

Bethel Library: Monday 9am-

CABLE LINE-UP

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5 Local Access	16 PEG - Educational	27 Great American Country	39 CNBC	50 A&E - Arts & Entertainment	60 TBN - Trinity Broadcast Network	69 Animal Planet
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THURSDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 23, 2006										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Hates Chris	Love, Inc.	Hates Chris	Eve	Dr. Phil		South Park	South Park
(32)	Smallville		Movie: "The Adventures of Pluto Nash"				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	207 Mag	Olympic	XX Olympic Winter Games							
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dancing With the Stars				Primetime		News	
10	High School Basketball			High School Basketball			Monty Python		Rose	
(22)	College Basketball: South Carolina at Georgia				College Basketball: Villanova at Cincinnati				SportsCenter	
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		MXC	Serpentine	MXC	UFC	UFC Unleashed	
13	Ent. Tonight	The Insider	Survivor: Panama -Exile		CSI: Crime Scn		Without a Trace		News	
(41)	Sports	College Basketball: Boston University at Vermont			Knockouts		Sports	College Basketball		
(15)	Movie: "Selena" Cont'd				Movie: "Hide and Seek"			16 Blocks	Thinking XXX	
(17)	Phil	So Raven	Movie: "The Color of Friendship"			Emperor	The	Sister, Sis.	Suite Life	So Raven
(18)	"The Rock" Cont'd		Movie: "King's Ransom"				Movie: "Heartbreak Ridge"			
(20)	College Hockey: UMass-Lowell at Boston College					Red Sox	SportsDesk	SportsPlus	SportsDesk	Red Sox
(44)	Movie: "Heart of a Stranger"				Movie: "Ambulance Girl"				Will-Grace	Will-Grace
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Movie: "Exit Wounds"			Movie: "Lethal Weapon"		
(24)	Oddparents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Grown Up	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Cosby
(25)	"A Bridge Too Far"		Movie: "Smokey and the Bandit"				Movie: "The Blues Brothers"			
(26)	Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI		Law Order: CI		PGA Golf: Chrysler Clisc.	
(27)	Murder on the Tracks		The First 48		The First 48		Dallas SWAT		Crossing Jordan	
(12)	Funniest Home Videos		Movie: "Dangerous Beauty"				WGN News at Nine		Sex & City	Becker
(39)	The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360			

FRIDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 24, 2006										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	WWE Friday Night SmackDown!				Dr. Phil		South Park	South Park
(32)	Smallville		Movie: "Home Alone 2: Lost in New York"					Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	207 Mag	Olympic	XX Olympic Winter Games							
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	America's Funniest Home Videos				20/20		News	
10	High School Basketball				To Be Announced			NOW	Charlie Rose	
(22)	SportsCir.		NBA		NBA Basketball: New Jersey Nets at New York Knicks				NBA Basketball: Lakers at Clippers	
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		"Austin Powers: International Man of Mystery"			
13	Ent. Tonight	The Insider	Ghost Whisperer		Close to Home		NUMB3RS		News	
(41)	Sports		Knockouts		Rodeo: Pro Tour		Poker	Sports		NBA Basketball: Celtics at Trail Blazers
(15)	"Scooby-Doo 2: Monsters Unleashed"				Movie: "Independence Day"				Real Time	
(17)	Phil	So Raven	Movie: "The Proud Family"				Phil	Sister, Sis.	Suite Life	So Raven
(18)	"Why Do Fools Fall in Love" Cont'd				Movie: "Eurotrip"		Movie: "The Chronicles of Riddick"			
(20)	College Hockey: Quinnipiac at Yale					SportsPlus	SportsDesk	SportsPlus	SportsDesk	Red Sox
(44)	"Dying to Be Perfect: The Ellen Hart Pena Story"				Movie: "A Face to Kill For"				Will-Grace	Will-Grace
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Movie: "Austin Powers: The Spy Who Shagged Me"				Movie: "Galaxy Quest"	
(24)	SpongeBob	Catscratch	Avatar	The X's	Phantom	Phantom	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Cosby
(25)	Hustle		Movie: "The Silence of the Lambs"					Tales From the Crypt		
(26)	Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Monk		PGA Golf: Chrysler Clisc.	
(27)	American Justice		Biography		Biography		Playboy's Celebrity Centerfolds			
(12)	Funniest Home Videos		Movie: "The Devil's Advocate"							
									Sex & City	Becker
(39)	The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360			

SATURDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 25, 2006											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Tomorrow Never Dies"					Veronica Mars		South Park	
(32)	Home Alone 2		Movie: "The Beverly Hillsbillies"				Movie: "Risky Business"				
6	Maine	Olympic	XX Olympic Winter Games								News
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Forrest Gump"						News	CSI	
10	Girls High School Basketball				High School Basketball			Red Green		Red Green	
(22)	College Basketball		College GameDay		College Basketball: Kansas at Texas			SportsCenter			
(34)	Movie: "The Firm" Cont'd		"Austin Powers: International Man of Mystery"				UFC Unleashed		TNA IMPACT!		
13	Better Life	The Insider	NUMB3RS		Cold Case		48 Hours Mystery		News	Da Vinci	
(41)	Wm. Basketball		Rodeo: Pro Tour		Poker	The Ride	Chris Myers /Poker		Poker Superstars		
(15)	"Runaway Jury" Cont'd		Movie: "Mrs. Harris"			Movie: "The Last Samurai"					
(17)	So Raven	So Raven	Movie: "Life-Size"				Phil	Life Derek	Suite Life	So Raven	
(18)	Flight		Movie: "Carito's Way"				Movie: "The Phantom of the Opera"				
(20)	College Hockey: UMass-Lowell at Boston College			Hockey	Red Sox		SportsDesk	SportsPlus	SportsDesk	Hockey	
(44)	Movie: "Twisted Desire"				Movie: "Obsessed"				Movie: "Serial Mom"		
(5)	"Passenger 57" Cont'd		Movie: "Cradle 2 the Grave"				Movie: "The Last Boy Scout"				
(24)	Oddparents	SpongeBob	School	Drake	All That	Amanda	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Cosby	
(25)	"Instinct"		Movie: "Colors"		Hustle			Movie: "Narc"			
(26)	Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		PGA Golf: Chrysler Cisc.		
(27)	City Confidential		Cold Case Files		Cold Case Files		American Justice		American Justice		
(12)	Videos		NBA Basketball: Chicago Bulls at Philadelphia 76ers				WGN News at Nine		Sex & City	Becker	
(39)	On the Story		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Saturday Night		CNN Presents		

SUNDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 26, 2006										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	70s Show	70s Show	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		Red Sox	Red Sox	McCarver	Exposure
(32)	Robin Hood		Movie: "The Waterboy"				Movie: "The Waterboy"			
6	XX Olympic Winter Games: Closing Ceremony								News	
8	Funniest Home Videos		Dancing With the Stars				Grey's Anatomy		News	Smallville
10	Peace: The Polar Bear		Nature		Masterpiece Theatre			Business	To Contrary	
(22)	SportsCtr.	NBA Basketball: Boston Celics at Los Angeles Lakers					Knight School		SportsCenter	
(34)	Clear-Danger		Movie: "The Shawshank Redemption"						Shawshank R.	
13	60 Minutes		Cold Case		Movie: "The Bourne Identity"				News	
(41)	Poker	NBA Basketball: Boston Celics at Los Angeles Lakers					Postgame	Chris Myers	Poker Challenge	
(15)	Movie: "I, Robot"			The Sopranos			Deadwood		"Assault on Precinct 13"	
(17)	So Raven	So Raven	Movie: "Snow Dogs"		Phil		Life Derék	Suite Life	So Raven	
(18)	2 Days		Movie: "The Day After Tomorrow"				Movie: "Meet the Fockers"			
(20)	Basketball	ACC	Outdoors	Outdoors	Hockey	Bruins All	SportsDesk	Min. Report	SportsDesk	Bruins All
(44)	Movie: "The Babysitter's Seduction"				Movie: "The Perfect Wife"			Missing		
(5)	"Cradle 2 the Grave"		Movie: "Swordfish"				Movie: "Swordfish"			
(24)	School	Unfabulous	Zoey 101	Romeo!	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Hi-Jinks	Roseanne	Roseanne	Cosby
(25)	2 Mules-Sara		Movie: "For a Few Dollars More"				Movie: "Play Misty for Me"			
(26)	Movie: "Braveheart"								PGA Golf: Chrysler Clsc.	
(27)	24		24		Movie: "Lake Placid"			CSI: Miami		
(12)	Maximum Exposure		24		24		WGN News	Replay	Sex & City	
(39)	CNN Live Sunday Cont'd		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Sunday Night		CNN Presents	

MONDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 27, 2006										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	One One	All of Us	Girlfriends	Half & Half	Dr. Phil		South Park	South Park
(32)	Smallville		Wildfire		Gilmore Girls		Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	207 Mag	Seinfeld	Deal or No Deal		The Apprentice		Medium		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Wife Swap		The Bachelor: Paris				News	
10	News-Lehrer		Antiques Roadshow		American Experience	Windsor Castle			Charlie Rose	
(22)	College Basketball: Pittsburgh at West Virginia				College Basketball: Oklahoma State at Oklahoma				SportsCenter	
(38)	CSI: Crime Son		CSI: Crime Son		CSI: Crime Son		CSI: Crime Son		UFC Unleashed	
13	Ent. Tonight	The Insider	King	How I Met	Two Men	Court Alex	CSI: Miami		News	
(4)	Sports	Knockouts	Rodeo: Pro Tour		Best Damn Sports Show		Sports		Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	"Welcome to Mooseport"		Real Time		Movie: "Breakin' All the Rules"			Dealing Dogs		
(17)	Phil	So Raven	Movie: "Model Behavior"			Naturally	Sister, Sis.	Suite Life	So Raven	
(18)	"The Girl Next Door"		Movie: "The Phantom of the Opera"					Movie: "The Rock"		
(20)	MLB Baseball: 2003 Red Sox vs. Yankees			Red Sox	Bruins All		SportsDesk	Hoops TV	SportsDesk	Outdoors
(44)	Movie: "Moment of Truth: Cradle of Conspiracy"				Movie: "The Suspect"				Will-Grace	Will-Grace
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Family Guy	Family Guy	Movie: "Major League II"	
(24)	Oddparents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Zoey 101	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne	Cosby
(25)	Greyskoe; Tarzan		Movie: "An American Werewolf in London"						Movie: "Smokey and the Bandit"	
(26)	Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI		WWE Monday Night Raw				Law Order: CI	
(27)	Cold Case Files		Flip This House		Confronting Evil		Rollergirls		Crossing Jordan	
(12)	Funnist Home Videos		Funnist Home Videos		Funnist Home Videos		WGN News at Nine		Sex & City	Becker
(39)	The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360			

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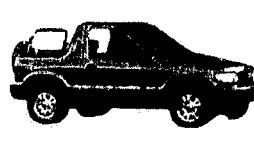
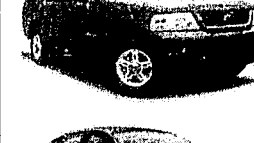
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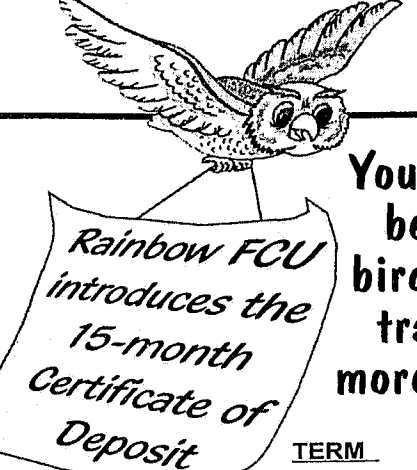
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- Changes to the Building Permit fees schedule
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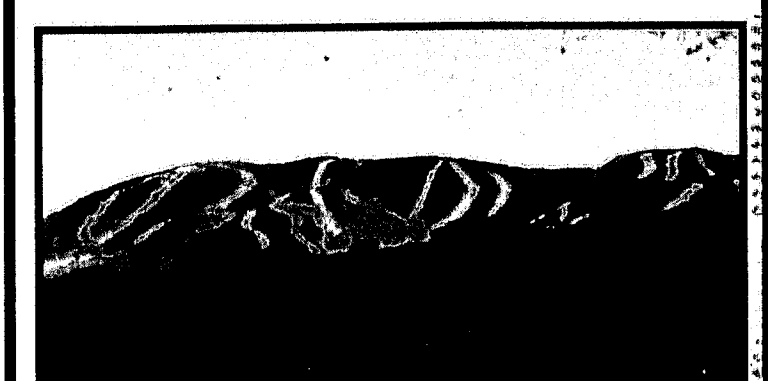
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COBBLESTONE FARM VILLAGE
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COBBLESTONE FARM ROAD
 Lot 9 4.78 Acres \$84,500

LAND
 1.5 Acres - Old S. Springfield Road, Springfield - \$19,500
 3.0 Acres - Crooked River Causeway, Albany - \$25,000
 1.6 Acres - Lot 1, Salinitas, Norway - \$34,900
 1.5 Acres - 176 Gore Road, Woodstock - \$44,500
 2.31 Acres - Route 2, Hanover - \$48,900
 1.4 Acres - Songo Pond Road, Albany - \$49,900
 38.0 Acres - Old S. Springfield Road, Springfield \$49,900
 7.0 Acres - Route 2, Hanover \$84,000
 .45 Acres - 55A Mason Street, Bethel - \$84,500
 7.0 Acres - Route 2, Hanover \$89,000
 17.0 Acres - Hardwood Hill Island, Mariaville - \$94,900
 41.0 Acres - Back Street, Upton - \$119,000
 12.7 Acres - Route 2, Hanover - \$127,900
 11.0 Acres - Sunday River Road, Newry - \$250,000

HUTCHINSON POND ROAD, ALBANY TOWNSHIP \$510,000 Waterfront!! Beautiful three bedroom two bath fully furnished open concept log Cape situated on Hutchinson Pond with nearly two acres. 200 feet frontage with sandy beach area. Daylight basement, wrap around farmers' porch, radiant floors.

MASON ST., BETHEL, \$239,900
 4 Bdrm. Bethel village and within walking distance to Bethel Inn & Country Club, shopping, dining, and many other downtown amenities.

26 SALINITAS DR., NORWAY ~ \$289,000
 5 Bedroom/4 Bath New Construction walking distance to Norway Lake and only minutes to Downtown Norway! Located in the Salinitas Estates Subdivision. 2.8 Acre Lot.

ROUTE 26, UPTON ~ \$158,000
 New foundation, roof & well! Many new features already completed, and currently still under renovation, 10 rooms, 7 bedrooms, large barn

MERRY LANE, OTISFIELD \$58,000
 New septic, well & Double wide pad. The Presidential Range, featuring famed Mount Washington.

51 VAIL DRIVE, POWDER RIDGE, NEWRY \$499,000
 COMPLETELY FURNISHED home with open floor plan, cathedral ceiling, skylights, three bedrooms, two baths, recessed exterior deck hot tub, one car garage, views of Sunday River Ski Area. Unique decorating attractions throughout!

BEAUTIFUL LOT WITHIN MINUTES OF SUNDAY RIVER SKI AREA with frontage on the Crooked River. Seller, prior to closing, will install septic system suitable for three bedroom home, well and driveway. Loads of recreational activities nearby.

NORTH ROAD, GILEAD - \$169,000
 View Little Bear Mountain from this newly constructed 2005 two bedroom, 1 & 3/4 bath home, situated on 1 acre of land. Enjoy the beauty of the mountains and the Androscoggin River. Deck along entire front of the home, Master Bedroom has its own separate outside deck. Wood stove hook-up, all new appliances.

SALINITAS ESTATES is one of the best locations you could find if you want to have the luxury of the waterfront and not have to pay the property tax for waterfront property. Located within walking distance to Norway Lake Recreational Park, Norway Lake Boat Slips and Norway Lake Country Club. Martin's Country Store is just down the street. Snowmobile trails just a stones throw away. What more could you ask for?

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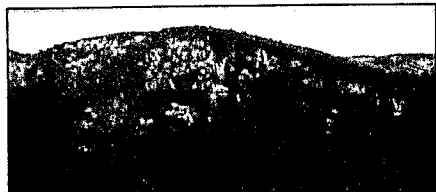
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This 5+/- acres could be subdivided. Great views of Pickett Henry Mtn. Nice location to Sunday River, White Mountain National Forest and boat launch to the Androscoggin River. **New Listing \$80,000**



Great Location with many unique features- Located just past Songo Pond on Baker Road just over the Bethel line in Albany. Short distance to Sunday River Ski Way, Bethel Village and walk to the public boat launch on Songo Pond. **New Listing \$180,000**



Enjoy a panoramic view from this spacious homestead with a newly remodeled kitchen including a granite topped island and bow window seat. There's plenty of room with 4 to 6 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, dining room w/gas fireplace and a gas stove in the family room. Includes 3 bay barn with 1 car garage all on 3.7 acres w/stream. **New Listing \$219,900**



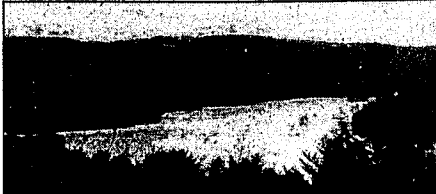
Great open field in desirable location on Paradise Road. Minutes from downtown Bethel and Sunday River Ski Way. Slight view of Mt. Abram. New homes are being built in this Great Subdivision. Let yours be the next one! **New Listing \$70,000**



Great property located just outside of Bethel Village. Walk to Village and Bethel Inn Golf Course and Resort. Minutes to skiing and surrounding activities. Development potential for 5 Units with sewer and water upgrades. Slight view of Mountains & Golf. **\$87,500**



Exquisitely designed and built home with fantastic views. Wonderful open concept with abundance of windows to grant you southerly views of Lake Christopher and so much more from every room. Beautiful tiled floors with radiant heat, granite counter tops and so much more. **New Listing \$309,900**



UNDER CONTRACT!



Sit on your sandy beach and gaze out at the great views of mountain and pond. This cozy 4 season 2 bedroom cottage has great views. Skylights, Screened in porch, redone floors and its set back from the road. Walk across the street to your sandy right-of-way to Twitchell Pond. Great Rental! **New Drilled Well. \$159,000**



10 ACRE WATERFRONT PARCEL on Canton Lake (Lake Anasagunticook) in Hartford is just 35 miles from Bethel. This lot has 530' of owned waterfront with an additional 150' of shared sandy beach with dock and gazebo. Views of lake, hillside farms and rolling mountains. **A rare find at \$85,000**



105 Acres with Stream- This property is located in Milton Township, rural but not far from surrounding ski areas. Close proximity to Concord Pond. Nice views with some of nature's creatures like Moose and Deer enjoy this slightly sloped parcel of land. Listen to the water in the stream or the quiet whisper of the wind. Subdivision potential or just own your own big piece of Maine! **New Price \$169,900**



Bethel-17 Acres of Androscoggin Waterfront with Views- Great location just 8 miles from Bethel Village. This former mill is located just off of Rt 2 in West Bethel. Beautiful waterfront with mountain views. This property does about the West Bethel Boat launch. Open up a business or develop the water frontage- its all up to you. Don't let this opportunity pass you by. **\$299,000**



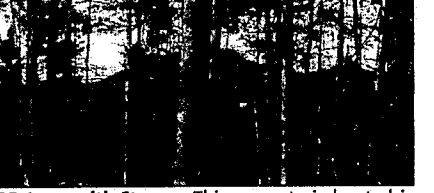
4.5 Acres on the Androscoggin River- Nice lot with great spot to put your home or vacation spot! Some nice views from the back of lot puts you in touch with nature. **New Price \$59,000**



What a Ski home with 8 Bedrooms 4 Baths and Pond! - This home has all the old charm and character so many of us desire. This property has been lovingly restored and redone to be a beautiful Bed and Breakfast. Beautiful center staircase all the way to the third floor. Located close to the ski areas and it has so much more potential. Must see to appreciate all its great charm! **Priced to Sell at \$299,900 Don't Hesitate!**



Eagle's Nest - 5 acres- Views- Build yourself a camp on this great wooded lot for your recreational activities. Private gated subdivision for your privacy. **\$45,000**



Great location- only 1/4 mile from Rt. 26, close to Mt. Abram & Sunday River. Lot is nicely sloped and wooded, with unobstructed view of Mt. Abram. Right of way up paved driveway to beginning of lot. Electricity near beginning of lot. **New Listing 2 acres \$45,000 12 acres \$75,000**



Mountain Views near White Mountain National Forest & Bethel. 2 lots each has 7.1 acres secluded but not far from Bethel. Located on Mankoo Road off Rt 5 in Albany gives you plenty of possibilities. Views of mountain and plenty of wildlife! Upper lot **\$28,000 Lower lot \$26,000**



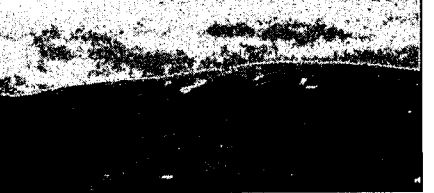
6.25 Acres- Gilead-Bog Road- Great location. Nice quiet dead end country road with White Mountain National Forest at the end. Possible views, with access to snowmobile trail from lot. Swimming hole, boat launch, skiing and much more just minutes away. Nice seasonal stream located on the property. **\$65,500**



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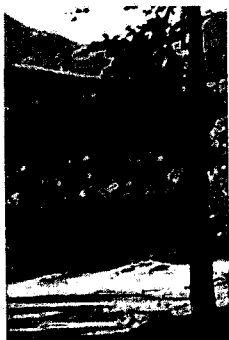


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LAND



A limited number of house lots at the Sunday River Golf Club in the Mahosuc Glen development are still available. These spectacular homesites offer sweeping vistas over the course and out into the Sunday River valley. This is a unique opportunity to build a true four-season vacation home with immediate access to some of the best skiing and golf in New England. To arrange a showing or get more information before the few remaining lots are sold, contact us as soon as possible at 207-824-5051 or srrealty@sundayriver.com, or stop by our office. Priced from \$195,000 to \$299,000.



NEW LISTING! West Summit Road, Woodstock: Are you looking for that private lot to build your vacation or year-round home upon yet still be within minutes to skiing, golfing, and other four season recreation? Well, look no further than this untouched 1.12+/- acre parcel located in Woodstock. This wooded lot offers potential views from your front door of the surrounding mountains, plus the quiet and privacy Maine is known for. **Offered at only \$72,500**

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HOMES



NEW LISTING! 6 Mill Hill Rd., Hanover: Just minutes away from Sunday River Ski Resort & moments from pristine Howard Pond & Androscoggin River boat launch, you'll find this cozy, 4 BR Cottage-style home. Replete w/refinished hardwood flooring, new Bathroom, new Kitchen & appliances, newly painted interior as well as exterior, new Cedar Deck, Victorian-detailed porch & well landscaped yard full of perennials, this home is a definite must see. Hanover offers low taxes & tuition credit to Gould Academy. Listed at below appraised value, this home is an excellent value & will not last long at only \$169,000!

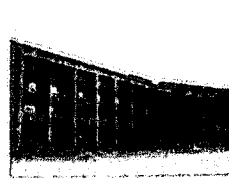


Powder Ridge, Newry: "You're not in Kansas anymore" becomes obvious from the moment you drive onto this beautiful property. Spectacular custom built log home on a quiet cul-de-sac, w/panoramic views of Sunday River. Hot tub, LR, deck, master BR w/fireplace, game room, & guest rooms. This home offers it all: stone fireplaces, 10' ceilings, media room, large fully equipped exercise room, professional kitchen, poolroom w/championship table, game room w/wet bar, radiant heat & three car heated garage. Offers proximity to great skiing, 18 hole championship golfing, swimming, fly fishing & a myriad of other area amenities & activities. This is the home for that discerning buyer looking for a 4-season lodge in the mountains of Maine. Call for More Details.



NEW LISTING! Sunday River Village, Newry: Proximity is not the only highlight of this impressive Contemporary home located within walking distance to the South Ridge Base Lodge. Soaring cathedral ceilings, spacious open living space, plenty of natural lighting from the large windows and skylights. Lounge in the airy living room or just turn the corner to the cedar paneled hot tub room, modern kitchen, with an elegant dining room, loft area, master suite with dressing room and luxurious full bath, finished basement with pool room, game room, den and wet bar. Five bedrooms, three full bathrooms, and much more! **\$695,000**

RESORT CONDOMINIUMS



Brookside I & II
II A-203 Studio/1 Bth \$87,900
II A-205 Studio/1 Bth \$87,900
II A-207 Studio/1 Bth \$87,900
II A-212 Studio/1 Bth \$92,000
II B-115 1 Bdm/1 Bth \$120,000
II B-203 Studio/1 Bth SOLD



South Ridge
B-4 1 Bdm/1 Bth \$185,000
B-6 3 Bdm/1.5 Bth \$339,000
F-6 3 Bdm/1.5 Bth PENDING
J-6 3 Bdm/2 Baths SOLD



White Cap
B-218 1 Bdm/1 Bth \$129,900
B-405 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
B-412 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
A-406 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD



Cascades
A-24 1 Bdm/1 Bth \$150,000
B-15 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
B-25 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
C-11 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD



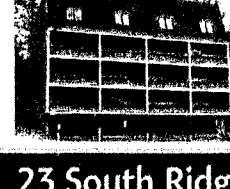
Locke Mountain
A-8 3 Bdm/2.5 Bth \$535,000
A-2 3 Bdm/3.5 Bth SOLD
I-1 SOLD
E-2 SOLD



North Peak
NPI-208 2 Bdm/1 Bth \$205,000
NPII-109 2 Bdm/1 Bth \$212,900
NPII-207 2 Bdm/1 Bth \$215,000
NPII-203 2 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
NPI-105 2 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD



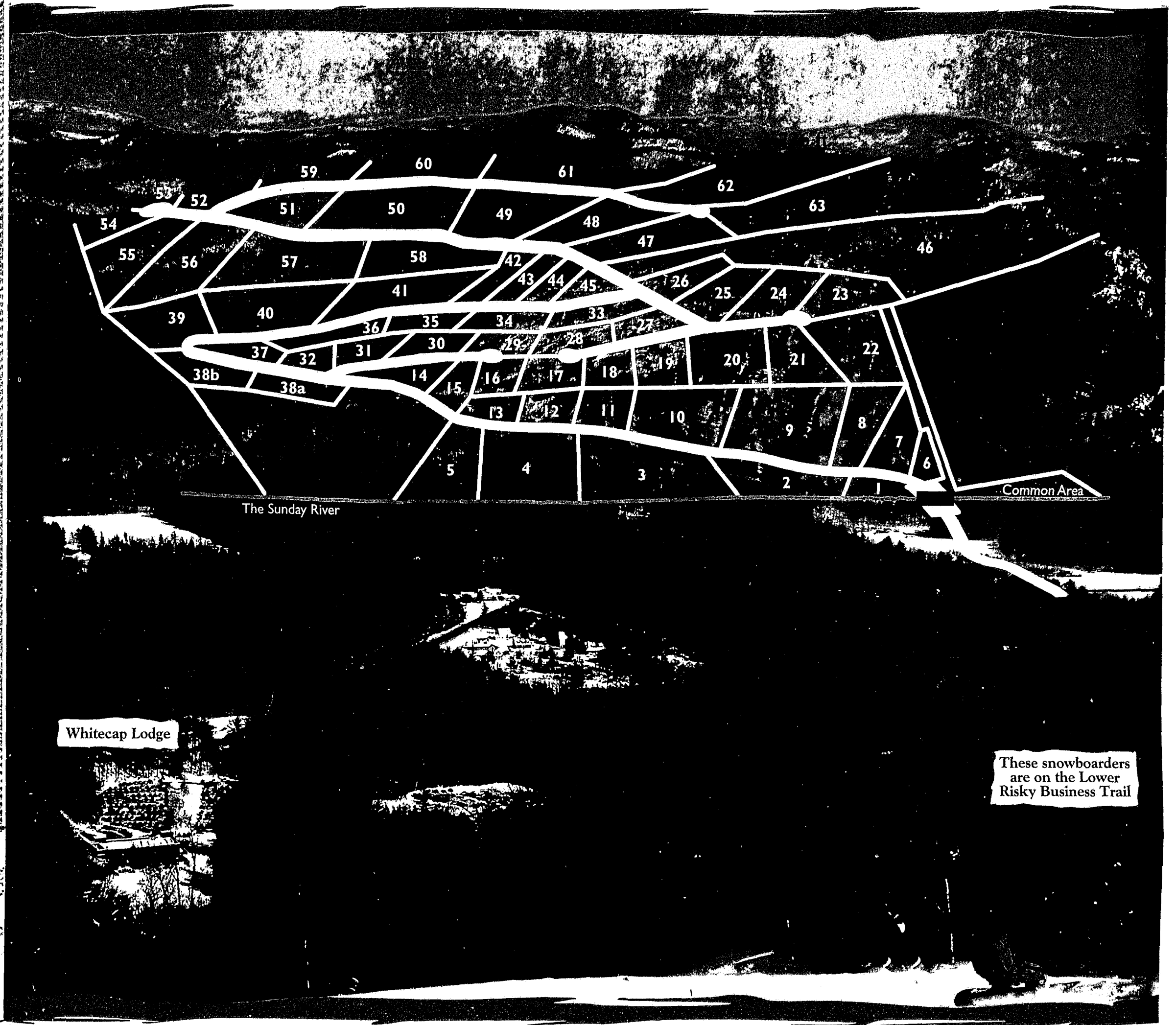
Fall Line
S-205 1 Bdm/1 Bth \$150,000
E-106 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
S-206 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
N-105 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
N-104 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
S-105 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD



Sunrise
C-104 1 Bdm/1 Bth \$150,000
C-106 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
C-129 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD
C-101 1 Bdm/1 Bth SOLD

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63 Mountainside lots with spectacular views of Sunday River!



Owning a piece of a mountain is rare — and these mountainside lots deliver unprecedented views of Sunday River.

Once these lots are gone, there will never be anything like this at Sunday River again.

Home Site Pricing [as of 1.17.06]

Lot 1: 2.10 acres Pending	Lot 17: 4.23 acres Pending	Lot 33: 2.63 acres Pending	Lot 48: 7.03 acres Pending
Lot 2: 4.60 acres Pending	Lot 18: 2.57 acres Pending	Lot 34: 2.66 acres \$181,900	Lot 49: 7.93 acres \$250,000
Lot 3: 10.1 acres Pending	Lot 19: 3.80 acres Pending	Lot 35: 2.65 acres \$171,900	Lot 50: 5.07 acres \$250,000
Lot 4: 9.50 acres Pending	Lot 20: 5.12 acres \$199,900	Lot 36: 3.32 acres \$171,900	Lot 51: 4.14 acres \$250,000
Lot 5: 8.60 acres Pending	Lot 21: 4.46 acres \$199,900	Lot 37: 3.11 acres \$171,900	Lot 52: 10.77 acres Pending
Lot 6: 1.35 acres Pending	Lot 22: 7.13 acres Pending	Lot 38a: 4.93 acres Pending	Lot 53: 13.50 acres Pending
Lot 7: 3.36 acres \$121,500	Lot 23: 3.17 acres \$199,900	Lot 38b: 5.30 acres Pending	Lot 54: 4.34 acres \$242,500
Lot 8: 5.38 acres \$121,500	Lot 24: 3.70 acres \$211,900	Lot 39: 5.71 acres Pending	Lot 55: 5.00 acres \$232,500
Lot 9: 11.03 acres Pending	Lot 25: 3.58 acres Pending	Lot 40: 7.83 acres Pending	Lot 56: 5.84 acres \$232,500
Lot 10: 7.62 acres Pending	Lot 26: 2.70 acres Pending	Lot 41: 7.61 acres \$181,900	Lot 57: 6.84 acres \$232,500
Lot 11: 3.25 acres Pending	Lot 27: 2.96 acres \$199,900	Lot 42: 2.77 acres \$191,900	Lot 58: 5.44 acres \$242,500
Lot 12: 2.93 acres \$141,500	Lot 28: 2.51 acres \$181,900	Lot 43: 2.27 acres \$191,900	Lot 59: 12.54 acres Pending
Lot 13: 3.67 acres \$141,500	Lot 29: 2.63 acres Pending	Lot 44: 2.03 acres \$191,900	Lot 60: 7.31 acres Pending
Lot 14: 1.49 acres \$151,500	Lot 30: 2.10 acres \$151,500	Lot 45: 2.08 acres \$199,900	Lot 61: 8.95 acres \$350,000
Lot 15: 2.86 acres \$151,500	Lot 31: 2.78 acres \$151,500	Lot 46: 20.84 acres Pending	Lot 62: 8.95 acres Pending
Lot 16: 3.06 acres Pending	Lot 32: 1.97 acres \$151,500	Lot 47: 5.73 acres \$250,000	Lot 63: 8.78 acres Pending

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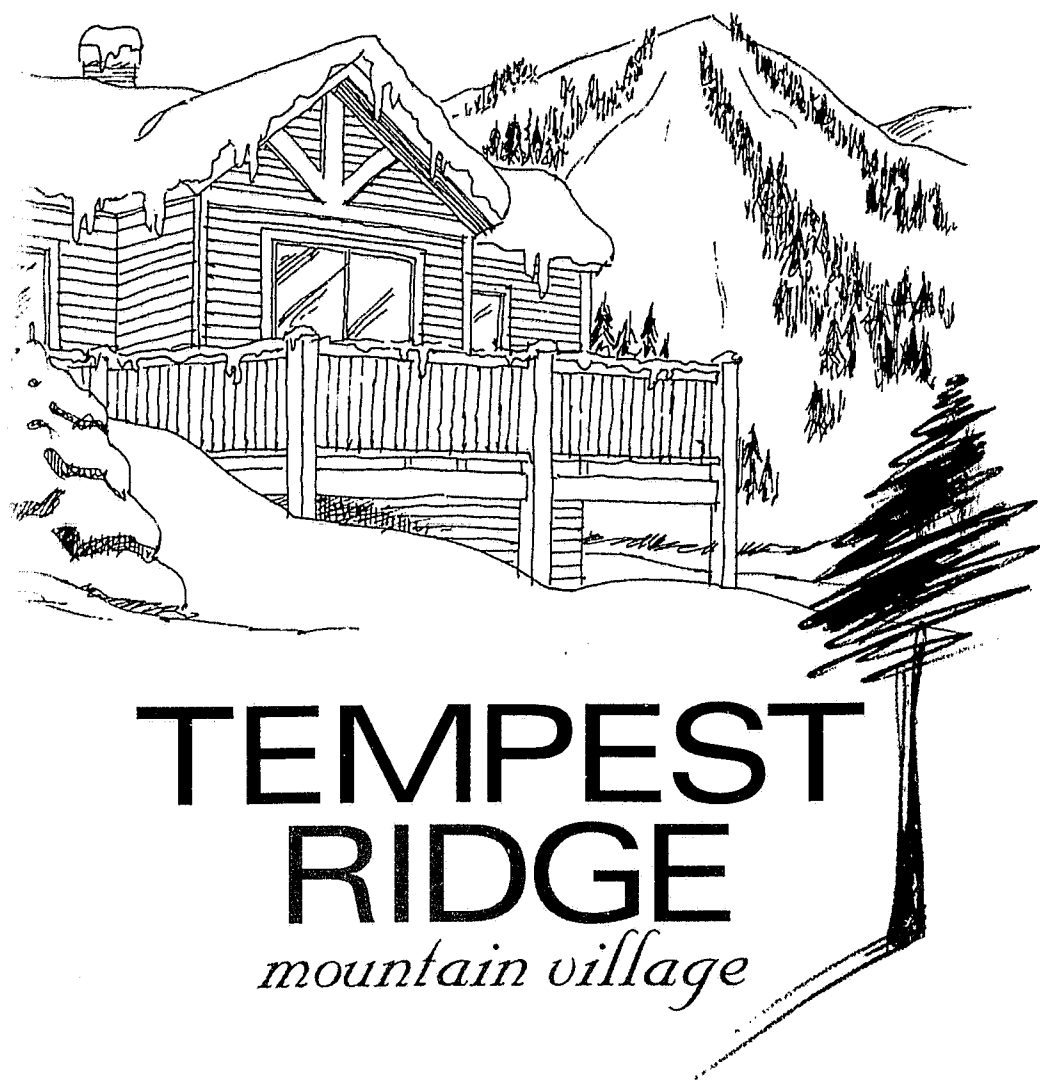
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 ANNIS RD, BETHEL ~1.7 ACRES ~3 BR, 1 BATH ~NICE PRIVATE LOT ~\$145,000	 VERNON ST., BETHEL ~.66 ACRE ~5 BR, 2 BATH ~2 RENTAL UNITS ~\$259,000
 ROUTE 26, BETHEL ~2.3 ACRES ~3BR, 1 + 1/4 BATH ~WIDE PINE FLOORS & HOT TUB ~\$159,000	 OFF FLAT RD, W. BETHEL ~.98 ACRE ~1 ROOM CAMP ~7 MILES FROM BETHEL ~\$39,900
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- Power At Street
- Minutes from Sunday River

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MANN CAMP RD. WOODSTOCK \$200,000

- 2.00+/- Acres
- 200 Feet of Water Frontage
- Fabulous Views
- Buildable Lot

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51 HOWE HILL RD, GREENWOOD \$154,000

- 3 Bedrooms/1 Bath
- Situated on .60 +/- Acres
- Deck & 1 car Garage
- Many Built In Features
- Minutes from Skiing

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Lot #39 1.6 Acres \$75,000
Lot #55 1.66 +/- Acres \$98,000

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Lot #28 2.03 Acres SOLD!
Lot #22 3.35 +/- Acres \$175,000

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326 PARADISE ROAD, BETHEL \$399,500

- 5 Bedroom/3 1/2 Bath
- Superior Custom Construction
- Hybrid Timber Frame Home
- Beautiful Mountain Views
- Efficiency Apartment

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729 PROSPECT AVE., RUMFORD \$95,000

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- Approx. 18 Miles From Sunday River
- 2 Unit Home w/ Large Barn
- 4 Bedroom/2 Bath
- Many Improvements

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GRAND VIEW DRIVE, BETHEL \$289,000

- 53.7 +/- Acres on Wilbur Mountain
- Views of the Mahoosuc Range
- Development Potential
- Power at Street

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87 PERKINS VALLEY RD, WOODSTOCK \$118,000

- 3 Bedroom Plus Loft Office Area
- Situated on 2.6 +/- Acres
- Living Room w/Woodstove
- Deck & Detached 1 Car Garage
- Attractively Remodeled Cape Style Home

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#26 1.70 Acres \$53,900
#27 2.16 Acres \$75,900
#28 1.70 Acres \$65,900

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SUNSET HILL

- Walking Distance to Bethel Village
- Minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort

Lot #1 4.4 Acres SOLD
Lot #5 2.40 Acres SOLD
Lot #6 1.78 Acres SOLD
Lot #8 .97 Acres SOLD
Lot #9 2.36 Acres SOLD
Lot #10 2.49 Acres \$69,000
Sunset Rock 23+/- Acres \$459,000

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WHITE CAP UNIT A207, NEWRY \$145,900

- White Cap Condominium
- 1 Bedroom/1 Bath
- Beautifully Renovated in 2004
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- Partially Furnished

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17 KILBORN ST, BETHEL \$241,500

- 3 Bedroom/2 1/2 Baths, Family Room
- Attractive Bethel Village Home
- Attached 2 Car Garage
- Mudroom
- Fireplace

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78 BEECH RD, GREENWOOD \$179,900

- Mt. Abram Ski Village
- Fantastic Mountain Views
- 3 Bedrooms/1 Bath
- Updated Chast
- 1 +/- Acres Corner Lot

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23 CEMETERY RD, GREENWOOD \$129,000

- 4 Bedroom/1 Bath
- Views Of Mt. Abrams Ski Slopes
- Open floor Plan
- Mt. Abram Chalet Village
- Fully Furnished

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LAND

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BEECH RIDGE LANE - WEST PARS
 • 5.2 +/- Acres \$35,000

HOWE HILL ROAD - GREENWOOD
 • 2.53 +/- Acres \$62,500

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TYLER STREET
 • .77 +/- Acres \$59,000

TYLER STREET
 • 1.37 +/- Acres \$69,000

INTERVALE ROAD
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MANN CAMP ROAD
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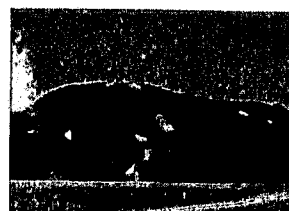
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NEW HOME UNDER CONSTRUCTION
Don't miss this new home under construction located just a short distance from downtown Bethel. Great wrap around porch, mountain views, hardwood flooring. Master bedroom on first floor. Expandable daylight basement. \$282,000



DEVELOPMENT POTENTIAL W/ VIEWS
70+ acres located just south of the Bethel village, Sunday River Ski/Golf and Songo Pond. Mountain views to the west with potential for subdivision. Roughed-in road existing on property and electricity is at the street. \$219,000



WELL-MAINTAINED, CLOSE TO TOWN
Many desirable features including beautiful hardwood floors, sun room, covered porch, bar or family room, beautifully landscaped grounds with irrigation system, hot tub and pool. Central air and much more. \$249,900



RIVERFRONT HOME
Nestled in the pines with 200' of prime river frontage. Fireplace, hardwood flooring, galley kitchen. 3 / 4 bdrms, 2 bath open floor plan with room for expansion. Screened in porch & deck. Full basement and two storage buildings. Excellent rental history. \$369,000



SUNDAY RIVER VIEWS
Beautiful full log home with amazing views of Sunday River Ski Resort. Appealing open floor plan with hardwood floors, stone fireplace. Family room with hot tub. Tastefully landscaped. Furnished. Large screened in porch. Great location. \$619,000



SPRING STREET APARTMENT
Two family apartment building intown Bethel. Nice back yard and large storage barn. Screened in porch. Recently renovated. Income history available. \$250,000



PRIVACY, VIEWS, SPACIOUSNESS
Located on a dead end road set on 54 acres with amazing views of Mount Washington & the Presidentials, this spacious home has a wonderful sun room with inground lap pool, deck with hot tub, studio apartment over the 3 bay garage, nice open floor plan with hardwood floors and carpeting. \$595,000



FANTASTIC LOCATION
Located one mile from intown, this 1800's home is in a fantastic location. The property has great potential with views overlooking Bethel Village and the White Mountains beyond. 2 bedrooms, 1 bath. \$144,000



STARWOOD - COPPER HOUSE
One of a kind custom timberframe ski home in Sunday River's most exclusive new subdivision, second from the ski resort, mountain views, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths. Open floor plan, large deck, hot tub. \$629,000



ACREAGE, PRIVACY AND QUALITY
Exceptional 4+ bedroom envelope home with 48+ private acres with stream and pond. Dream gourmet kitchen, living room with cathedral ceiling and lots of glass to gaze at the views. Finished daylight basement with unlimited possibilities. Low taxes. \$599,000



INVITING DORMERED CAPE
Three bedroom, two bath dormered cape located close to town on a nice country lot. Sunny interior with southern exposure. Beautiful wood floors and lots of windows, well established perennial gardens, porch, attached garage. River & mountain views. \$225,000



RED HOUSE FARM VILLAGE
Now under construction, this 3 bedroom, 3 bath home will be ready by January 2006. Features include: a two bay garage, tile, white washed cabinets and a full basement for expansion. Ski home to your door or take the trolley directly to the lodge. On mountain living couldn't be easier! \$429,000



STORYBOOK CAPE
Meticulously landscaped 3 bedroom / 2.5 bath home in storybook setting. Well built and designed home, near Howard Pond, winter and summer recreation, ski resorts. 2-car garage. \$329,900



MILTON PLT. FARMHOUSE
Vintage cape farmhouse situated on 10.7 scenic acres with views and western exposure. 2 oversized detached storage barns, woodstove, partially finished second floor with unlimited potential. 3 bedrooms, 1 full bath. \$209,000



NEWLY CONSTRUCTED HOME
Awesome newly constructed home with beautiful mountain views located at Powder Ridge. Post and beam interior with tone fireplace. 9' ceilings, clear western red cedar siding, granite countertops, wood flooring and more! \$549,000



18TH CENTURY HOME
Gracious, historic 18th Century William Rodgers Chapman home ideally located enroute to Sunday River Ski Resort. Many recent improvements, 5 fireplaces, carriage house and separate barn. Unlimited possibilities and potential. \$479,000



BEAUTIFUL NEW POWDER RIDGE HOME
Soon to be finished 11 room home located at the top of Powder Ridge. This 3 story custom built home boasts a stone fireplace, 5 bedrooms, 5 bath, custom cherry cabinets, granite counter tops, Decor appliances, Trex decking and finished day light basement. Unbelievable views, just minutes from Sunday River \$789,000



SPECTACULAR SUNDAY RIVER VIEWS
Private 4 bdrm home with spectacular views of Sunday River Ski Resort and just minutes from world-class skiing and golf. Open floorplan complete with fireplace, woodstove, private master suite, large wraparound deck and hot tub. \$455,900



MOUNTAIN VISTA CONDOMINIUMS
Ownership at Mountain Vista puts you and your family in the center of the beauty and recreation that western Maine offers. Situated less than 5 minutes from world-class skiing and golf at Sunday River Ski Resort, Mountain Vista offers spacious 3-bedroom bi-level units. During the winter months, you will have the opportunity to ride the Mountain Explorer to Sunday River Ski Resort or the numerous shops, restaurants and pubs located along the Sunday River Road and in the village of Bethel. 4 remaining units starting at \$289,000.



LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION
This dormered cape is ideally located close to town en-route to Sunday River Ski Resort. Great spot for commercial or residential use. Nice layout featuring a spacious kitchen, hardwood floors, 3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, separate garage. \$199,900



MAINE'S PREMIER SKI HOME
Prestigious ski home with commanding views of all 8 interconnected mountain peaks of Sunday River Ski Resort. Open concept living spread across 3 levels. Spacious great room, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths. \$1,550,000



THE PEAKS ATOP MT. WILL
If you've ever dreamed of owning a home site in the mountains—for your primary residence, weekend retreat, future retirement, or an investment—The Peaks might just be the perfect place.
Priced from \$99,000 to \$350,000, these spectacular home sites range from 21 acres at the very top of the mountain, to 2 acres running along the Sunday River. And all have breathtaking views that are sure to make you gasp.

CONDOMINIUMS

F2 SOUTH RIDGE: 2 bedroom / 2 bath slopeside townhouse. Fully-furnished. \$279,000	BROOKSIDE: 1 bedroom / 1 bath slopeside condominium. Great views. Furnished. \$139,000
309 NORTH PEAK II: 2 bedroom / 1 bath slopeside condominium. Furnished. \$215,000	SUNRISE A104: 1 bedroom / 1 bath slopeside condominium. Great views. Furnished. \$139,000
306 NORTH PEAK I: 2 bedroom / 1 bath slopeside condominium. Furnished. \$199,900	BROOKSIDE: 1 bedroom / 1 bath ski in/out condominium. Great views, fully-furnished. \$119,000
C105 SUNRISE: 1 bedroom / 1 bath slopeside condominium. Fully furnished. \$143,000	CASCADES: Studio unit / 1 bath ski in/out condominium. Great views, fully-furnished. \$95,000
B414 WHITE CAP: 1 bedroom / 1 bath slopeside condominium. Fully furnished. \$139,900	BROOKSIDE: Studio unit / 1 bath ski in/out condominium. Great views, fully-furnished. \$87,000

LAND

Unlimited Potential: 245 acres. \$299,000	Grover Hill Road Views: 2 acres. \$89,000
Songo Pond Waterfront: 1.9 acres. \$289,000	Bird Hill Lot: 12 acres. \$75,000
Sunday River Rd Building Lot 6.7 acres. \$150,000	Sunset Hill - Spectacular Views: 1.46 acres. \$74,900
Intervale Rd Riverfrontage 19.1 acres. \$139,900	Milton Plantation Scenic Lot: 34 acres. \$72,000
Paradise Road Views 2 acres. \$139,000	Sunday Valley Acres: 1 acre. \$65,000
Sunday River Rd Building Lot 5.2 acres. \$125,000	North Road Views: 1.1 acres. \$42,000
Red House Farm Village. \$120,000	Close Proximity to North Pond: 1 acre. \$49,900
Large Untracked Parcel: 43 acres. \$100,000	Albany Building Lot: 1.36 acres. \$39,000
Picnic Hill Rd Views: 40 acres. \$95,000	Ellis River, Andover: 2.6 acres. PENDING
Private Lot With Views: 20 acres. \$85,000	Scenic Albany Lot: 5.52 acres. \$25,000
Premier Taylor Woods Riverfront Lot: 1.7 acres. \$84,900	Hidden Acres Building Lot: 2.94 acres. \$22,500
Queen's Landing: 2 10 acre lots. \$80,000	

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Lot 02: 1.10 acres. \$299,999
Lot 07: 1.00 acres. \$260,000
Lot 09: 1.00 acres. \$260,000
Lot 21: 1.02 acres. \$220,000
Lot 23: 1.00 acres. \$195,000
Lot 33: 1.05 acres. \$298,000
Lot 35: 1.00 acres. PENDING
Lot 37: 1.09 acres. \$298,000
Lot 38: 1.05 acres. \$298,000
Lot 41: 1.01 acres. \$270,000
Lot 45: 1.13 acres. \$279,000

POWDER RIDGE

Lot 03: 1.18 acres. PENDING
Lot 31: 3.23 acres. \$179,900
Lot 99: 1.09 acres. \$115,000
Lot 104-1: 3.77 acres. PENDING

MEADOW VIEW

Lot 01: 1.50 acres. \$94,900
Lot 02: 1.30 acres. \$74,900
Lot 03: 1.40 acres. \$74,900
Lot 04: 1.50 acres. \$74,900
Lot 05: 1.70 acres. \$94,900
Lot 06: 1.70 acres. \$94,900
Lot 07: 1.50 acres. \$94,900
Lot 08: 1.20 acres. \$94,900

MOUNTAIN VALLEY

Lot 01: 2.62 acres. SOLD
Lot 02: 2.38 acres. SOLD
Lot 03: 2.17 acres. SOLD
Lot 04: 2.51 acres. SOLD
Lot 05: 2.31 acres. SOLD
Lot 06: 1.31 acres. SOLD
Lot 07: 1.27 acres. SOLD
Lot 08: 2.19 acres. SOLD
Lot 09: 1.09 acres. SOLD
Lot 10: 1.47 acres. SOLD
Lot 11: 1.47 acres. SOLD
Lot 12: 2.34 acres. SOLD
Lot 13: 3.77 acres. PENDING
Lot 14: 1.99 acres. SOLD

SWAN HILL AT INTERVALE

Lot 01: 2.00 acres. SOLD
Lot 02: 2.66 acres. \$75,900
Lot 03: 2.91 acres. \$75,900
Lot 04: 1.76 acres. \$75,900
Lot 05: 1.77 acres. \$89,900
Lot 06: 2.01 acres. SOLD
Lot 07: 1.53 acres. \$85,900
Lot 08: 2.52 acres. SOLD
Lot 09: 1.41 acres. \$85,900
Lot 10: 1.65 acres. \$87,900
Lot 11: 2.22 acres. \$89,900
Lot 12: 1.58 acres. \$72,900
Lot 13: 2.50 acres. SOLD
Lot 14: 2.59 acres. \$82,900

ELLINGWOOD MOUNTAIN

Lot 01: 2.12 acres. \$60,000
Lot 02: 1.93 acres. \$65,000
Lot 03: 2.08 acres. \$60,000
Lot 04: 1.61 acres. \$72,000
Lot 05: 1.77 acres. \$76,000
Lot 06: 1.93 acres. \$80,000
Lot 07: 2.88 acres. PENDING

RIVER GLEN

Lot 01: 1.16 acres. SOLD
Lot 02: 1.55 acres. \$39,900
Lot 03: 2.07 acres. SOLD
Lot 04: 2.25 acres. \$47,900
Lot 05: 2.41 acres. RESERVED
Lot 06: 2.83 acres. \$57,900
Lot 08: 3.10 acres. \$69,900
Lot 09: 2.28 acres. \$79,900
Lot 10: 5.50 acres. \$89,900
Lot 11: 3.40 acres. \$84,900
Lot 12: 1.63 acres. \$39,900

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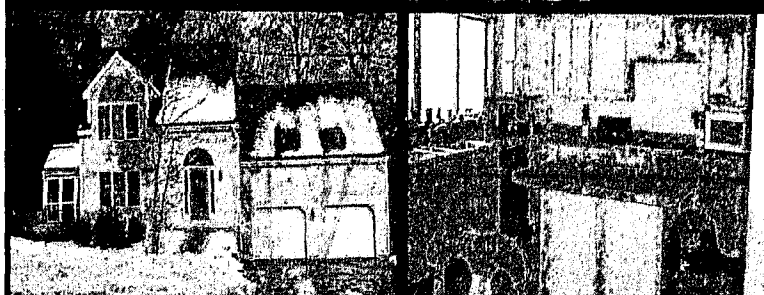
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NEW LISTING!



New Construction- Paradise Pines: A Brand New Oversized Chalet of impressive 26'x48' dimension has just been constructed! Offering coveted Paradise Hill location only minutes to Bethel Village amenities, 2 skiways, 2 golf courses, & a myriad of beautiful lakes & rivers, the scenic setting & notable construction of this year round home is exceptional. A spacious Great Room with rich wood cathedral ceiling is enriched with an impressive floor to ceiling stone fireplace, 3 1/4" birch flooring, & adjoining kitchen area complete with stainless steel appliances, 3 Bedrooms inclusive of a master suite with walk-in closet, whirlpool tub & separate shower, upper level loft, 3 Baths, full daylight Basement & Garage. **Resilient Timbered Decking with Log Rails & Balusters Effectually Accentuate the Classic Alpine Design of this Quality New Home. Priced To Sell @ \$350,000!**

NEW LISTING!



Sunday River Village, Newry - In The Most Prestigious Of Upper End Villages, We Are So Pleased To Offer This Truly Magnificent Home. Situated on a meticulously maintained 14+/- acre parcel comprised of lush rolling terrain dispersed w/ tall graceful trees & colorful perennials, you'll marvel at this architectural gem showcasing 4 exceptional levels of living space, each gracefully merging to constitute an elegant yet very comfortable dwelling. Suitable to accommodate the largest of gatherings, a fascinating floor plan is enlightened w/ an array of sun-filled windows. Great Room w/ maple flooring and brick hearth, decorator's kitchen, privately situated second story master quarters w/ Palladian windows & French doors enriched w/ wrought iron ski trail views. **In all, 3 BRs, 3 1/2 Baths, Laundry, Family Room, workshop, 2 car garage, beautiful deck, screened porch and so much more. All Together A Very, Very Special Offering At An Incredible Price! \$529,000**

NEW LISTING!



Will View Subdivision off the Sunday River Road: Strategically situated in a charming cul-de-sac upon one of the loveliest parcels in this coveted ski home community, a new Contemporary Chalet with massive circle top architectural windows, sliders & large deck area aptly compliments the well thought out floor plan! A spacious Great Room with all important wood stove, adjoining Country Kitchen area, 4 Bedrooms & 2 Baths have been newly enriched with top notch professional painting in warm hues of soft taupes, beiges, off-white & soft green palettes, beautifully accenting rich wood flooring throughout. A finished daylight lower level offers a large Family Room for even more entertainment area. Only minutes to the best skiing in the East! \$389,000

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NEW LISTING!



Mountain Brook Estates: Offering Twelve Scenic Parcels in A Brand New Subdivision Just Minutes To Bethel Village and Sunday River Ski Resort. Customize your House Plans To Suit Your Needs and Individual choices such as A Log Sided Chalet with warm, earthy Living Spaces, wall of windows, high ceilings, wood floors, fieldstone fireplaces, 3-4 Bedrooms, 3 Baths, Full Basement, Base Prices Start @ \$299,000!!

NEW LISTING!



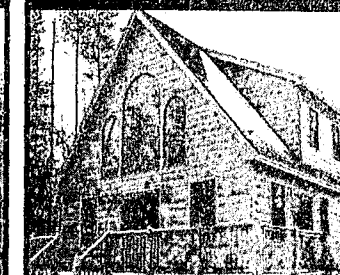
Newry: Among The Most Coveted of Locales requested by prospective purchasers is this well established subdivision off the Monkey Brook Rd leading to the new Mahosuc Glen Golf Course, & the renowned ski trails at Sunday River. A new offering is now available on the Mtn View Rd, comprised of an open concept contemporary Chalet w/ new metal roof & wraparound deck, 3 BRs, 2 Baths, Full Basement, Aitch'd Garage. Priced To Move at \$309,000!!

NEW LISTING!



Sunday Valley Acres off the Sunday River Road: Only minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort find this charming neighborhood of rustic attractive ski chalets. Among the most striking of homes nestled amidst hardwood is this 2005 Contemporary Chalet offering an ample floor plan. Lovely GR w/ wraparound stone fireplace, eye catching windows, 3BRs inclusive of a master suite w/ walk-in closet & bath, Loft area, pine walls & floors, wraparound deck, and garage. The ideal getaway at \$369,900!!

NEW LISTING!



Will View: The Meticulous Condition of this Jewel of a Home, notably perched on one of the most distinctive and scenic parcels in this new neighborhood, is remarkable. A darling exterior boasts an ample deck, glass sliders & a symmetrically tiered treatment of circle-top windows illuminating an earthy Great Room with stone fireplace & wooden ceilings, walls & floors. A distinctive kitchen area, 3 Bedrooms, 3 Baths. Family Room & mudroom/ski locker area Complete This Perfect Package!! \$399,900

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Sunday River Ski In/Ski Out Condos

BROOKSIDE BUILDING I		
B-401	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$215,000
B-108	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$224,900
BROOKSIDE BUILDING II		
B-207	Studio/1 Bath	\$79,900
A-201	Studio/1 Bath	\$84,900
A-214	Studio/1 Bath	\$89,900
B-314	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$129,900
A-306	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$139,900
A-115	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
CASCADES		
B-16	Studio/1 Bath	\$89,900
FALL LINE		
S-102	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$144,900
E-106	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
W-111	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
E-206	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
LOCKE MOUNTAIN		
D-2	4 Bdrm/3.5 Bath	SOLD
D-3	4 Bdrm/3.5 Bath	SOLD
MERRILL BROOK		
I-A	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
NORTHEAK		
II-303	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$210,000
II-210	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$215,000
WHITE CAP		
A-305	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$145,900
A-401	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$149,900
B-214	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
SOUTH RIDGE		
B-2	2 Bdrm/1.5 Bath	\$275,000
F-5	2 Bdrm/1.5 Bath	\$279,900
L-4	1 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$289,000
F-1	3 Bdrm/1.75 Bath	\$450,000
SUNRISE		
C-106	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
A-105	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
A-111	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD

Area Townhomes

BARKER BROOK		
#5	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
CHAMBERLAIN CONDOMINIUMS		
#33-A	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$184,900
#33-B	2 Bdrm/End Unit	\$189,900
BETHEL INN TOWNHOMES		
#514/515	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
#508/509	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
LAKE CHRISTOPHER CONDOMINIUMS		
Unit M	2 Bdrm/1.5 Bath	SOLD
OPERA HOUSE		
#23	Loft 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
POWDER RIDGE TOWNHOMES		
#38	2 Bdrm/1.5 Bath	SOLD
RIVERBEND		
#4	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
#14	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
SUNDAY RIVER ESTATES		
#6	4 Bdrm/3 Bath	\$439,900
#5	4 Bdrm/3 Bath	\$459,900

Sunday River Quartershares

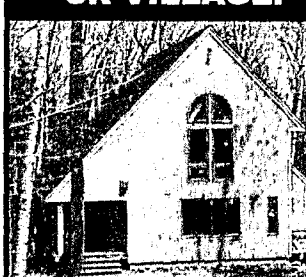
JORDAN GRAND QUARTERSHARE		
146-A	Studio/1 Bath	\$17,500
149-B	Studio/1 Bath	\$17,500
155-D	Studio/1 Bath	\$22,500
139-C	Studio/1 Bath	\$25,900
163-A	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$29,500
163-B	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$29,500
163-C	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$29,500
163-D	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$29,500
235-237-D	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$42,000
254-B	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$42,900
197-199-C	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$43,000
144-C	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$46,000
156-C	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$46,000
248-250-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$49,500
209-211-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$49,900
104-106-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$50,000
263-265-C	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$54,000
253-B	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$55,000
329-A	1 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$67,000
GRAND SUMMIT QUARTERSHARE		
121-A	Studio/1 Bath	\$13,000
115-D	Studio/1 Bath	\$13,900
105-C	Studio/1 Bath	\$18,000
325-327-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$28,000
188-190-C	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$33,500
260-262-A	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$29,000
164-166-D	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$29,500
120-122-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$41,000
330-332-A	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$41,000
241-243-D	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$55,000
317-B	Studio/1 Bath	SOLD
253-A	Studio/1 Bath	SOLD
250-C	Studio/1 Bath	SOLD

COOMBS VILLAGE!



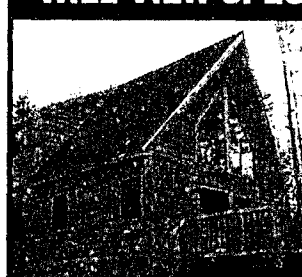
New Listing - Coombs Village: Immaculate ski home in outstanding condition nestled in the quaint Coombs Village Subdivision en route to some of the best skiing and golf Maine has to offer. Sit'd on a quiet corner lot, 2 large 2nd fl BRs, 1st fl master, spacious living/dining room with cozy woodstove, wonderful entryway mudroom, nice exterior deck, & a full basement offer plenty of storage and organization possibilities. An ideal getaway in a great location at a fantastic price! **\$399,000**

SR VILLAGE!



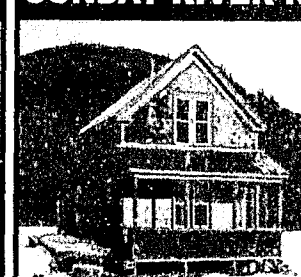
Newry: This 4-Story Post and Beam Home is situated in the most coveted of Villages at Sunday River Ski Resort. Offering ever-so-close proximity to fabulous ski trails and numerous amenities. Open floor plan showcasing impressive post & beam work, parquet flooring & professional craftsmanship. Showcasing a striking GR w/ adj DR, second story balcony, 5 BRs, large upper level loft, 3 Baths, Game Room, Hot Tub, & many extras...The Ultimate in Accommodations Awaits! **\$749,000**

WILL VIEW SPEC!



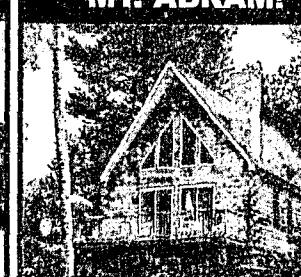
Will View Spec House on Lot #14: A Spectacular 3-4 Bedroom Chalet has been designed with all the warmth and spaciousness a ski-vacation home should offer and features a massive Great Room w/ hardwood floors, cozy gas fireplace and lg architectural windows. Kit w/ natural maple cabinetry and adj dining area, tiled entryway with storage closet, 4 BRs, 2+ bath and two sets of glass sliders leading to an all important outdoor deck. With ever so close proximity to Sunday River Ski Resort, area restaurants and shuttle bus, what more could you possibly want? **\$389,900**

SUNDAY RIVER RD!



New Listing - Sunday River Road: A Longstanding Benchmark housing local history, this vintage restored Cape is perched amidst a scenic mtn backdrop & offers views of White Heat. Less than a minute to Sunday River lodges, shops & restaurants, the location of this open level & Sunny 2+/- acre parcel is outstanding. Freshly painted throughout, new metal ceilings, inviting LR, adj DR, country Kitchen, 1 1/2 Baths, 2 Bedroom PLUS Loft, the attached BARN offers numerous expansion possibilities. Exceptionally Priced at **\$299,900!**

MT. ABRAM!



Greenwood: Newly Constructed Log Sided Chalet With Ski-In/Ski-Out Access to Mt. Abram Ski Trail!!! Featuring rich wood int., GR w/ cathedral ceiling, fireplace, spacious kitchen w/ custom island, & adj din area, 1st fl master BR suite w/ private bath, & an adj 1st fl BR & bath. The cozy loft provides a 3rd BR Suite w/ private bath & Reading Nook. Offering scenic mtn vista views from the large wraparound deck & w/ in close proximity to 2 area ski resorts & many local lakes & ponds, this home provides plenty of opportunities for yr mt use & enjoyment. An outstanding package!!! **\$369,000**

NEW CONSTRUCTION!



Newry/Ragged Hill Road: Spacious New 2,500+/- Sq Ft Contemporary Chalet on a beautifully scenic parcel in a New Subdivision off the Sunday River Road. Massive GR w/ high ceilings, impressive windows, gorgeous Brazilian Red Cherry Hardw Plng, & stone fireplace, 4 BRs, Lower Lvl FR, 3 Baths & enormous wraparound deck. Boasting spectacular views of the all new Sunday River Golf Course & the beautiful mtns of Western ME including the peaks of Sunday River and Mt. Abram ski resorts and Bethel Village Amenities, this is a must see!! **\$409,000!**

PRICE REDUCED!



Newry/Ragged Hill Road: Only Minutes To Sunday River Slopes, You will find this Cedar Sided Contemporary. Encompassed almost entirely by breathtaking mtn vista views inclusive of SR Ski Trails & the glorious greens of the new SR Golf Course, the scenic GR is enlightened by a series of massive windows, birch flooring, maple cabinetry, granite countertops & the warmth of a stone faced fireplace. 4 BRs, 3 Baths, FR & so much more! This Property Must Be Seen To Appreciate It's Natural Beauty Throughout Its Setting! **\$499,000**

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East Bethel Road, Bethel: Attractive Chalet Const. in 2003 situated on an open & level lot boasting panoramic mtn vista views! Showcasing an inviting LR, adj kit & dining area featuring architectural windows, sliding glass doors & a cathedral ceiling covered in tongue & groove pine, 3 BRs inclusive of a 2nd level MB with private bath & wood floors, 2 full baths & nice exterior deck. Offering the privacy of a rural country setting yet within ever-so-close proximity to both Sunday River and Mt. Abram ski resorts and Bethel Village Amenities, this is a must see!! **\$205,900**

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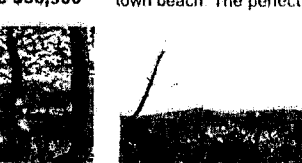
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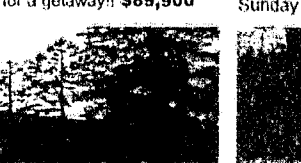
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Obituaries

EARLON A. KENISTON

Earlon "Lefty" A. Keniston, 88, of Bethel, died Feb. 14, 2006 at the Maine Veterans' Home in South Paris where he had been a patient since October 2005.

He was born in Albany on May 25, 1917 the oldest child of Albert and Iva (Andrews) Keniston. He grew up in Albany and was educated in a one-room schoolhouse until his family moved to Bethel. There he attended the Bethel grammar school and Gould Academy, graduating in 1937. Baseball was his favorite sport, playing for four years at Gould as a pitcher. It was for being a left-handed pitcher that he became known as "Lefty." Upon graduating from high school, he became a saw filer, a trade he learned from his uncle, Silas Keniston. He was employed by various mills in the area.

In January of 1942 he married Myrtle Lapham of Albany, she died in April 1972. They had one daughter, Llo-na, and they lived in Andover until he was drafted into the Army. He served with the 2nd Inf Tng Co. School troops in Ft. Benning, Ga., as a military Occupational Specialty Rifleman 745 and received his Combat Infantry Badge. Upon being drafted, he moved his wife and daughter back to Albany where they could be close to family. He served in the battle of "Rome Arno" and in the Northern Apennines. He won

the EAME Theatre Service Ribbon with two Bronze Stars, the good conduct metal, WWII metal and the Purple Heart. He was wounded while in action in Italy and received an honorable discharge on Nov. 4, 1945.

He spent some of his early life with his beloved maternal grandparents, Lute and Bertha Andrews of Albany. He learned a lot about farming, gardening and carpentry from his grandfather. He became a man of many trades, was an avid reader and sportsman enjoying hunting, fishing and trapping.

He married Mary (Clough) Rice of Bethel in October 1973 and moved to Mill Hill Road in Bethel.

He was a member of the Albany Congregational Church and was a deacon for many years and served as treasurer with his wife Mary for 20 years. He served as president of the Songo Cemetery Association as well as the board of directors.

He and Mary purchased a home on Vernon Street four years ago and have been living there since. They have enjoyed their fishing trips to Canada with cousin Bob and Ginny Keniston.

He is survived by his wife Mary of 32 years; daughter, Llo-na Keniston Meaux and her husband Carl of Amelia Island, Fla.; step children, Doug Rice and his wife Sandra of Guilford, Conn., Donald Rice of Waterford, Donna Rice-Howe and her husband

Alton of Waterford; grandchildren, Jeffrey Meaux and his wife Jillian of Marietta, Ga., Jennifer Meaux Gordon and her husband Ivan of Jacksonville, Fla.; step grandchildren, Adam Rice of Augusta, Sheldon Rice and his wife Jackie of Waterford, Alton "Chip" Howe and his wife Barbara of Scarborough, April Howe-Olmstead and her husband Rob of Cranston, R.I., Justin Rice and his wife Sue and Sarah Rice Mitchell and her husband Donald "DJ" of Guilford, Conn., Rachael Rice Welch and her husband Patrick of Deep River, Conn.; three great-grandchildren; 10 step great-grandchildren; several cousins, nieces and nephews; sisters-in-law, Muriel Kimball of South Paris, Phyllis Bancroft of South Paris, Elizabeth Lapham of Albany, Ida Clough Bryant of Hermon and Shirley Clough of Monks Corner, S.C. He was predeceased by his first wife, Myrtle, in 1972; a step daughter, Sally Rice Twitchell; his parents; two brothers, Elwyn and Lloyd; and a sister, Phyllis Andrews.

Visiting hours will be held at the Albany Congregational Church, Hunts Corner, Albany on Saturday, Feb. 25, at 10 a.m. until time of service at 11 a.m., with the Revs Norman Rust and Edward Gammon officiating.

ELAINE M. BRYANT

Elaine M. Bryant, 63, of 20 Congress Street, Rumford, died Wednesday, Feb. 15, 2006 at d'Youville Pavilion, Lewiston.

Born in Rumford on July 4, 1942, she was a daughter of William and Gilberte (Roy) Broomhall. She was a graduate of Rumford High School with the Class of 1960.

She was a member of the Rumford Falls Aerie 1248 FOE. She enjoyed knitting and crafts, and loved spending time with her grandchildren.

Survivors include a son,

Chris Bryant and his wife Heather of Mexico; two daughters, Kimberly Marston of Mexico and Melissa Moro and her husband John of Peru; a brother, William H. Broomhall Jr. and his fiancée Celia Ficken of Gilead; sister, Janice Radcliff and her husband Raymond of Chester, Va.; and six grandchildren.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Tuesday, Feb. 21, at St. Athanasius-St. John Church, Rumford. Interment will be in the spring at St. John Cemetery. Online condolences and shared memories may be expressed at meaderfh@ghi.net.

GREGORY D. WAITE

Gregory D. Waite, 51, of Bellevue Road, Rumford, died Thursday, Feb. 16, 2006 at the Hospice House, Auburn.

Born in Rumford on Nov. 27, 1954, he was a son of Edwin and Viola (Olson) Waite. He graduated from Mexico High School and the University of Maine at Farmington.

He worked for SAD43 as a school teacher for more than 25 years. He was also a ski coach, softball coach and soccer coach, and was a national ski patrolman. He served on the board of directors for the Greater Rumford Community Center and Black Mountain.

Greg was married in Rumford on Aug. 25, 1979, to Karen Garneau, who survives in Rumford.

He is also survived by a son, Patrick Waite of Rumford; two daughters, Alissa Waite and Elaine Waite of Rumford; his parents, Edwin and Viola Waite of Mexico; and a sister, Susan Goldberg and her husband Lee of South Portland.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Monday, Feb. 20, at St. Athanasius-St. John Church in Rumford. Interment will be in the spring in St. John Cemetery. Those who desire please contribute

Births

Stephen and Shawn-na Coombs of Rumford are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Cadence, born on Jan. 3, 2006 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 pounds, 5 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Barry and Cathy Snyder of Otisfield and Tony and Terri Collins of Bath.

Paternal grandparents are Richard and Susan Coombs of Stoneham.

Kimberly Tibbetts and G.T. Kimball are very pleased to announce the birth of their son, Cruze Domery Kimball, born at Stephens Memorial Hospital on Nov. 28, 2005. He weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces.

Proud grandparents are Kathy and Brian Tibbetts of Bethel, George Kimball of Albany and Rebecca Lyons of Auburn.

Cruze is the great-grandson of Ann Lyons of Bethel, Clarence and Mary Bailey of Andover, and the late Hope and Stub Tibbetts of Bethel.

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Card of Thanks

A sincere thank you to all our friends, neighbors, family, members of the Pleasant Valley Bible Church, the Calvary Bible Church, and the Bethel Alliance Church for all their prayers, get well cards and the love and compassion shown to our mother and us during her illness. Also, many thanks for all the kind words, hugs, so many beautiful cards and flowers, and food to comfort us during the loss of our mother. We are truly blessed to have so many caring friends. It was very evident to us during this time, how many lives mom had touched with her easy spirit and how much she was truly loved. A special thank you to Pastor Aaron for his many trips to Stephen's Mem. Hosp. and MMC to visit with our mom and to pray with us and to Pastor Chuck Mason for singing at mom's service. Much appreciation and many thanks to the Greenleaf Funeral Home, and Drew and Judy Webster for their wonderful services and for helping us through this difficult time.

The Family of Juliette Morin

Card of Thanks

The family of Margaret K. Belanger would like to thank Ledgeview Living Center, and Greenleaf Funeral Home for their kind services. Thanks to Donna and Joe Taylor, and Chuck Mason.

With Love From,
Luella Cole
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If tears could build a stairway,
and memories a lane,
I'd walk right up to heaven
and bring you home again.

We love you always Baby Girl

Love Forever,
Dad, Amanda, Arisen & Rafja



Michelle Ann Waterhouse
August 25, 1986 - February 26, 2005
If you get there before I do,
Don't give up on me,
I'll meet you when my chores are through,
I don't know how long I'll be.
But, I'm not gonna let you down,
Just you wait and see...
So, between now and then, "Till I see you again,
I'll be loving you ... Love, Me
Loving You and missing everything about
you, 'Chelle Bug!
The Momma, Sista & Jim,
Gabriel & Rahja



MICHELLE
8-25-86
to
2-26-05
A year gone by,
And still we think of you and cry.
We wish you never went away.
There were so many things we never got to say.
We miss your bright smile.
Your sense of humor, your sense of style.
The way you went about your day,
And always voiced your opinion in some sort of way.
You were a special person, and a special friend,
And we'll hold you in our hearts till the very end.
Love You 'Chelle, and Miss You Tons
Love, Crystal & Richie

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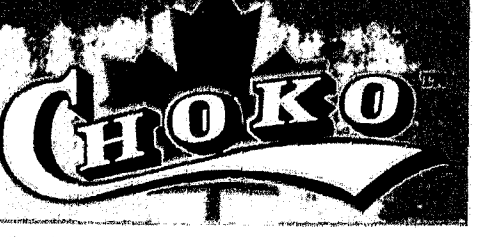
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